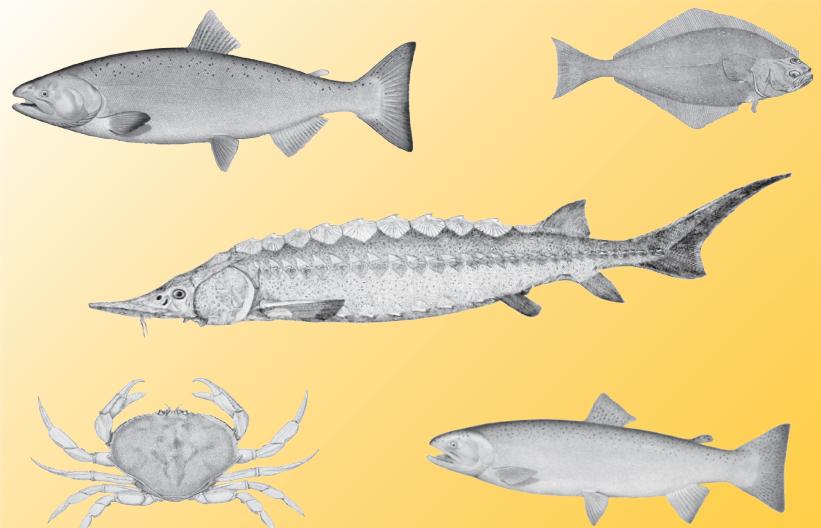


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INTRODUCTION

The Washington State Sport Catch Report was first published in 1967. The report originally provided salmon catch estimates, which were and still are based on data from catch record cards (punch cards). In 1975, marine fish sport harvest estimates were added to the report, followed by shellfish estimates in 1976. Marine fish and intertidal shellfish sport harvest estimates are based on field and creel surveys. In 1994, with the merger of the departments of Fisheries and Wildlife, steelhead sport harvest estimates were added to the report. Now, catch record card data are collected for salmon, sturgeon, steelhead, Dungeness crab and halibut. The card data is supplemented with field or creel survey data or telephone surveys where available to improve recreational harvest estimate accuracy. The sport harvest estimates for salmon, steelhead, sturgeon, marine fish and shellfish are produced at varying times of each year.

The 2015 sport estimates reflect harvest from April 1, 2015, through March 31, 2016. Historically, salmon, sturgeon, halibut, marine fish and shellfish estimates were made on a calendar year basis from January 1 through December 31. Steelhead estimates were summarized from May 1 through the next April 30 to better capture the results of steelhead “run years”. Effective January 1, 1999, the sport license system adopted an April 1 to March 31 license year for all species. To adjust to the new reporting time frames, the 1999 sport report included 15 months of salmon and sturgeon catch and 11 months of steelhead catch (May 1, 1999 – March 31, 2000). When comparing past years’ sport harvest estimate tables, please note the changes in the license structure and reporting year as described above.

SPORT LICENSES AND CATCH RECORD CARDS

In 2015, the following licenses and catch record cards were required to fish in Washington:

- Saltwater license: Required for saltwater fishing, for all anglers aged sixteen and over. Available for residents, resident seniors (70 and older), and non-residents. Catch record cards required for salmon, steelhead, sturgeon and halibut, for anglers of all ages.
- Freshwater license: Required for freshwater fishing, for all anglers aged sixteen and over. Available for residents, resident seniors (70 and older), and non-residents. Catch record cards required for salmon, steelhead and sturgeon, for anglers of all ages.
- Shellfish/seaweed license: Required for harvesters aged sixteen and over. Available for residents, resident seniors (70 and older), and non-residents. Allows the holder to harvest clams, mussels, oysters, shrimp, crab, squid, other shellfish, and seaweed. In addition, a Puget Sound crab endorsement and catch record card was required to harvest Dungeness crab in Marine Areas 5-13.
- Combination license: Allows anglers to fish in both saltwater and freshwater and to harvest shellfish and seaweed. Available for both residents and non-residents aged fifteen and over.

Fish catch record cards were required for salmon, steelhead, sturgeon and halibut. Each species group could be issued as a separate card, or included together on one card. Separate catch record cards were required for recording Dungeness crab in Puget Sound. Separate crab cards were required for the summer and fall/winter seasons.

In 2001 WDFW implemented the Washington Interactive Licensing Data (WILD) system to electronically capture recreational license issuance information at the point of sale. The catch record card remained the same paper document distributed by sport license vendors, but demographic data about persons receiving the cards became available almost immediately.

Table 1 lists license sales for the license year which ran from April 1, 2015 through March 31, 2016. Table 2 provides counts for the numbers of fish and crab catch cards issued going back to 1971. Table 3 shows the return rate, expansion factor, and non-response bias correction factors for the 2015-2016 cards.

METHODS

Catch record card returns are used to estimate sport salmon catch in marine and freshwater areas. For some areas, the catch cards numbers are replaced with estimates based on creel surveys. In marine areas, creel estimates were used in Areas 1-4 (not including Willapa bay or Grays Harbor), and for many of the Puget Sound fisheries including the summer months in Area 5, 9, 10 and 11, and winter blackmouth fisheries in Area 7, 8-1, 8-2, 9, 10, and 11.

The sport catch record card is used to produce the annual sport harvest estimates for salmon, steelhead, sturgeon, and halibut. Anglers holding in-sample cards are sent reminders to return their CRC's. Harvest summed from returned in-sample cards is expanded to account for the un-sampled cards (75%) and unreturned cards. A bias adjustment factor is applied in some areas and species to account for successful anglers returning cards at a higher rate than unsuccessful anglers. Creel survey data are substituted for CRC data when available. The preliminary sport harvest estimates are sent to WDFW and Tribal biologists statewide for review. After review comments are compiled and investigated, final sport harvest estimates are prepared and distributed.

The methods used produce estimates of sport harvest, which have some level of uncertainty. This uncertainty, or variance, is estimated and expressed with confidence levels, which are not provided in this report. These variance estimates are available upon request.

OCEAN CATCH DATA

Sport catch data from coastal areas 1 – 4 were reported using “port sampling” (creel survey) catch estimates. Such estimates were derived by monitoring daily landings at four coastal ports: Ilwaco, Westport, La Push, and Neah Bay. Catch is reported in the area where the fish was caught and not the area where it was landed.

STATISTICAL MONTHS AND STATISTICAL WEEKS

Some catch data (i.e. salmon and bottomfish) are reported using statistical months or statistical weeks. Statistical weeks (defined as Monday-Sunday) are consecutively numbered weeks beginning on January 1 and continuing through week 53 or 54, ending on December 31. The first and last weeks of any year usually contain less than 7 days. Statistical months are made up of a set number of statistical weeks, which approximate calendar months but do not coincide with calendar month start and end dates. For example, in 2015, the statistical month of January begins January 1 and ends February 2 and the statistical month of February starts on February 3 and ends March 2. Due to the differences between calendar and statistical months, some catch may be reported during what appears to be a closed period.

SALMON

Annual sport salmon catch estimates for 1971 through 2015 are shown in Table 4. Between April 1, 2015, and March 31, 2016 a total of 514,531 salmon were caught in marine areas, and 533,162 salmon were caught in freshwater. The marine totals by species, as shown in Table 5, are: 78,371 chinook; 224,654 coho; 3,288 chum; 198,931 pink; 156 sockeye; and 455 jacks (all species combined). Freshwater species breakdowns are: 176,803 chinook; 54,050 coho; 11,351 chum; 207,582 pink; 65,336 sockeye; 18,040 jacks (all species combined).

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STURGEON

On the new combined sport catch record card, sturgeon fishers were required to record their catch statewide. The total sport harvest for 2015, based on creel surveys and catch record card returns, was 1,217 fish. Sturgeon retention was only allowed in the Columbia and Snake River systems.

STEELHEAD

Harvest estimates for sport-caught summer and winter steelhead are based on catch record card returns. Steelhead caught during the months of May through October are considered “summer-runs,” designated S. Steelhead caught from November through April are considered “winter-runs,” designated W, with the exception of steelhead caught above Bonneville Dam on the Columbia River, where all steelhead are considered “summer-runs,” because of run and spawn timing.

Table 31 presents steelhead sport harvest estimates for the 2015-2016 season geographically by stream and river system. Monthly estimate totals are given for marked and unmarked steelhead.

MARINE FISH

Marine fish are those species of fish which live their entire lives in salt water. There are four general groups of marine fish for management purposes: 1) bottomfish, which are species such as rockfish, lingcod and most species of sole and flounder; 2) forage fish, which are small, schooling fish such as herring and smelt; 3) tunas and mackerels; 4) Pacific halibut.

The recreational catch of bottomfish and halibut in ocean waters (Catch Areas 1-4) is estimated from marine surveys (Table 35 and 36). The estimates are made for each of the four main coastal fishing areas: Ilwaco, Westport, La Push and Neah Bay.

The Puget Sound (Catch Areas 5-13) catch of bottomfish, excluding halibut, is estimated using a combination of two surveys: a creel survey of anglers to determine the catch rate and species composition and a phone survey of licensed anglers to determine total fishing effort. These estimates are shown in Table 37. The recreational catch of forage fish is not routinely monitored and no harvest estimate is available.

SHELLFISH

Razor clam harvest on the coastal beaches is summarized in Table 38. During the fall of 2015 and the spring of 2016 326,009 digging trips resulted in a harvest of 4,530,354 clams, for an average of 14 clams per trip.

Puget Sound recreational clam and oyster harvest estimates are shown in Table 39. Harvest totals for Manila and native littleneck clams, butter clams, cockles, softshell clams, horse clams, geoducks and oysters are shown for public access beaches. Estimates show 92,072 sport harvester trips gathered 368,296 total pounds of clams and 484,952 oysters in 2015 on the monitored beaches.

The Puget sound and Hood Canal shrimp fishery harvest is reported in Table 40. Shrimpers caught 179,541 pounds of shrimp between May and September. The sport crab fishery in the Puget Sound areas is summarized in Table 41. Crabbers harvested an estimated 2,673,440 pounds of Dungeness crab.

SPORT LICENSES

Table 1. Number and Value of Sport Fishing Licenses Sold in Washington.

April 1, 2015 - March 31, 2016 - License Year			
Type of License	Price	Number Sold	Value
Saltwater			
Resident	\$30.05	46,106	\$1,152,650.00
Non-Resident	\$59.75	4,055	\$210,860.00
Senior	\$8.05	20,960	\$104,800.00
Freshwater			
Resident	\$29.50	337,068	\$8,426,700.00
Non-Resident	\$84.50	13,568	\$1,017,600.00
Senior	\$7.50	43,788	\$218,940.00
Shellfish/Seaweed			
Resident	\$17.40	97,465	\$974,650.00
Non-Resident	\$36.10	6,712	\$181,224.00
Senior	\$7.50	22,169	\$110,845.00
Combination (Saltwater/Freshwater/Shellfish)			
Resident	\$55.35	158,775	\$7,144,875.00
Non-Resident	\$124.65	3,010	\$325,080.00
Disabled/Veteran - Res	\$11.35	157,25	\$78,625.00
Disabled/Veteran - NR	\$55.35	403	\$18,135.00
Youth	\$8.05	13,907	\$69,535.00
Short-term Combination			
1-day Resident	\$11.35	50,311	\$402,488.00
1-day Non-Resident	\$20.15	36,226	\$579,432.00
2-day Resident	\$15.75	11,361	\$136,332.00
2-day Non-Resident	\$28.95	14,125	\$338,856.00
3-day Resident	\$19.05	10,824	\$162,360.00
3-day Non-Resident	\$35.55	18,796	\$563,445.00
Razor Clam			
Annual Resident	\$14.10	21,547	\$172,376.00
Annual Non-resident	\$21.80	2,796	\$43,779.00
3-day	\$9.70	32,133	\$160,665.00
PS Crab Endorsement			
Annual	\$8.75	184,568	\$1,384,260.00
1-5 day	\$3.80	15,079	\$45,237.00
Charter/Guide Stamps			
Charter/Guide Stamps	\$8.50	30,325	\$257,763.00
Two-Rod Endorsements			
Resident / Non-resident	\$14.80	55,334	\$719,342.00
Senior	\$6.00	8,049	\$40,245.00
Columbia River Endorsements			
Resident / Non-resident	\$8.75	199,740	\$1,498,051.00
Senior / Youth	\$7.10	18,597	\$111,582.00
Duplicates			
Additional Catch Cards	\$12.60	24,239	\$266,629.00
Licenses	\$9.70	14,184	\$107,602.00
Total		1,531,945	\$27,024,963.00

TECHNICAL DATA

Table 2. Number of Catch Record Cards Issued 1971-2015

Year	Salmon	Steelhead	Sturgeon
1971	541,600	145,647	
1972	536,750	153,977	
1973	568,825	165,671	
1974	562,375	154,051	
1975	576,075	no data	
1976	660,150	no data	
1977	641,050	no data	
1978	580,375	130,000	
1979	487,875	136,000	
1980	433,700	139,500	
1981	463,561	132,000	
1982	481,915	100,000	
1983	481,025	101,800	
1984	364,286	133,400	
1985	403,523	121,500	
1986	431,898	100,500	
1987	475,459	102,000	
1988	486,356	108,182	33,195
1989	509,534	106,666	35,576
1990	497,215	98,362	32,421
1991	489,394	98,328	32,396
1992	419,986	98,933	37,615
1993	447,986	94,913	43,067
1994	244,629	87,093	54,837
1995	416,707	101,303	62,572
1996	333,773	92,858	69,639
1997	331,511	68,341	76,806
1998	265,296	85,636	79,264
1999-2000	352,003	183,520	132,503
	Combined	Crab - Summer	Crab - Winter
2000-2001*	539,898		
2001-2002	827,443		
2002-2003	767,465		
2003-2004	799,326		
2004-2005	715,395		
2005-2006	686,831		
2006-2007	672,753		
2007-2008**	640,893	210,327	157,712
2008-2009	603,539	210,893	207,143
2009-2010	729,319	236,665	89,259
2010-2011	574,969	208,458	70,731
2011-2012	632,564	230,355	28,514
2012-2013	566,372	200,711	27,711
2013-2014	631,536	214,692	29,638
2014-2015	606,471	213,741	35,371
2015-2016	636,596	232,619	36,397

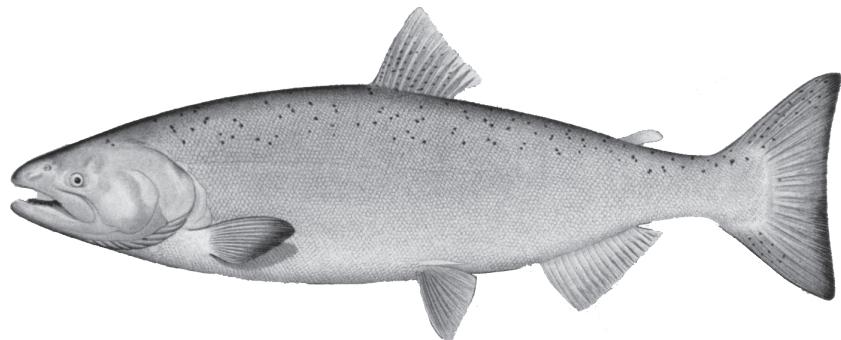
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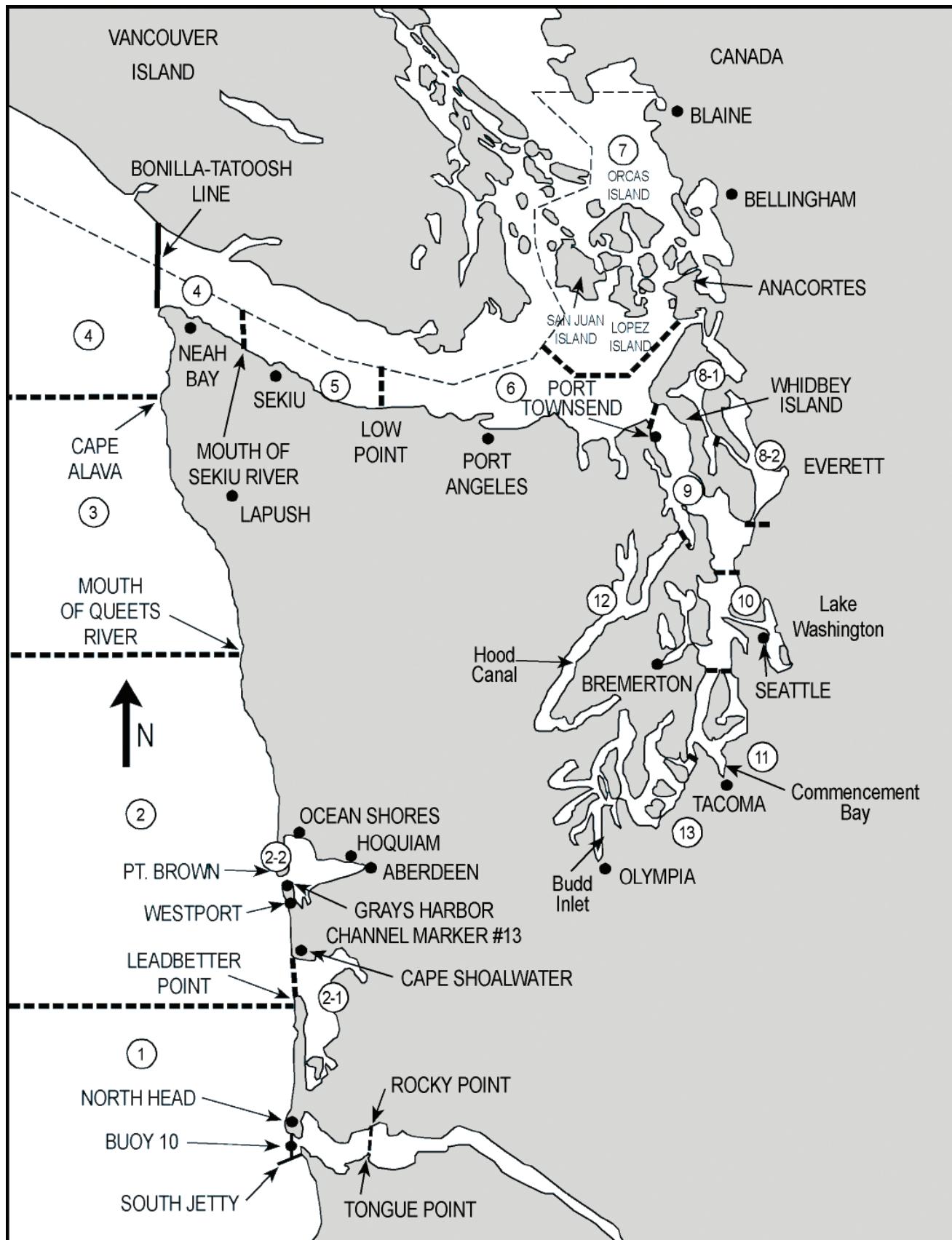
Table 3. 2015-2016 Catch Record Card Technical Data.

Cards Issued	638,352
In-sample cards	159,588
In-sample cards returned	59,369
Expansion Factor (Cards Issued / In-sample Returns)	10.75
Non-reporting bias correction factors	
Salmon - Marine Area 5	1.00
Salmon - Puget Sound Marine Areas	1.46
Salmon - Freshwater, Grays Harbor, Willapa Bay	1.20
Steelhead	0.98
Sturgeon	1.00

Salmon



MAP OF SALMON CATCH RECORD CARD AREAS MARINE WATERS ONLY



1	ILWACO	West of the Buoy 10 line at the Columbia River mouth, north to Leadbetter Point.
2	WESTPORT-OCEAN SHORES	From Leadbetter Point north to the Queets River, excluding Willapa Bay and Grays Harbor.
2-1	WILLAPA BAY	East of a line from Leadbetter Point to Cape Shoalwater.
2-2	GRAYS HARBOR	East of a line from the tip of the North Jetty to exposed end of the South Jetty.
3	LA PUSH	From the Queets River north to Cape Alava.
4	NEAH BAY	From Cape Alava north and inside Juan de Fuca Strait to the Sekiu River.
5	SEKIU AND PILLAR POINT	From mouth of the Sekiu River east to Low Point, mouth of the Lyre River.
6	EAST JUAN DE FUCA STRAIT	From Low Point east to the Partridge Point - Point Wilson line north to the line from Trial Island (near Victoria B.C.) - Vessel Traffic Separation Buoy "R" - Smith Island to the Lawson Reef Buoy to Northwest Island to the Initiative 77 marker on Fidalgo Island.
7	SAN JUAN ISLANDS	All marine waters north of the Trial Island line described under Area 6 to the United States-Canada boundary.
8-1	DECEPTION PASS, SKAGIT BAY	From West Point to Reservation Head eastward through Deception Pass, including all waters of Swinomish Slough and Skagit Bay, and the portion of Saratoga Passage north and west of a line from East Point Light to light on Camano Island (Saratoga Pass Light #4FL Red 4 Sec.).
8-2	PORTS SUSAN AND GARDNER	East of East Point Light-Camano Island Light line (described in 8-1 above) and north of the Possession Point-Shipwreck line (described in 9 below).
9	ADMIRALTY INLET	All waters inside and south of the Partridge Point - Point Wilson line, south and west of a line from Possession Point 110° true to shipwreck, north of the Hood Canal Bridge, and north of the Apple Cove Point-Edwards Point line.
10	SEATTLE-BREMERTON AREA	South from the Apple Cove Point-Edwards Point line to a line projected true east- west through the north tip of Vashon Island.
11	TACOMA-VASHON ISLAND	South from a line projected true east west through the north tip of Vashon Island to the Tacoma Narrows Bridge.
12	HOOD CANAL	All waters south of the Hood Canal Bridge.
13	SOUTH PUGET SOUND	All waters south of Tacoma Narrows Bridge.

FRESHWATER AREAS RIVERS OR STREAMS OR LAKES - Name of river, stream or lake, except for Buoy 10

BUOY 10 (1A) From Buoy 10 Line to Rocky Point-Tongue Point Line

Table 5. Total 2015-2016 Sport Salmon Catch

Marine Area	Chinook	Coho	Chum	Pink	Sockeye	Chinook Jacks	Coho Jacks	Total Salmon	Marine Angler Trips	Salmon per Trip
Iwaco-Ocean (Area 1)	9,413	35,710		4				45,127	33,390	1.35
Westport (Area 2)	19,120	30,684		2,101				51,905	45,453	1.14
Willapa Bay (Area 2.1)	10,048	8,611	9	36		222	125	19,051	N/A	
Grays Harbor (Area 2.2)	303	2,064				9	99	2,475	N/A	
LaPush (Area 3)	3,212	688		141				4,041	3,505	1.15
Neah Bay (Area 4)	7,683	4,160		6,385				18,228	14,767	1.23
Subtotal Coast*	49,779	81,917				231	224	140,827	97,115	1.23
Sekiu-Pillar Point (Area 5)	5,381	51,157	7	25,339	23			81,907	58,959	1.39
East Juan de Fuca (Area 6)	4,625	10,842	57	19,262	6			34,792	33,105	1.05
San Juan Islands (Area 7)	8,699	3,776	76	27,460	96			40,107	47,239	0.85
Deception Pass, Hope Island (Area 8-1)	381	4,303	3	6,041	15			10,743	19,593	0.55
Port Susan & Port Gardner (Area 8-2)	949	8,128	34	28,799				37,910	46,350	0.82
Admiralty Inlet (Area 9)	4,728	45,636	393	66,709	11			117,477	188,828	0.62
Seattle-Bremerton (Area 10)	307	15,933	115	15,121	5			31,481	38,798	0.81
Tacoma-Vashon Island (Area 11)	1,724	1,550	66	8,877				12,217	51,394	0.24
Hood Canal (Area 12)	761	1,147	1,562	861				4,331	28,618	0.15
South Puget Sound (Area 13)	1,037	265	975	462				2,739	23,019	0.12
Subtotal Puget Sound	28,592	142,737	3,288	198,931	156			373,704	535,903	0.70
Marine Area Totals*	78,371	224,654	3,288	198,931	156	231	224	514,531	633,018	0.81
Freshwater Totals	176,803	54,050	11,351	207,582	65,336	12,573	5,467	533,162	N/A	
Grand Totals	255,174	278,704	14,639	406,513	65,492	12,804	5,691	1,047,693	N/A	

*Salmon per trip is calculated after subtracting the catch totals for Willapa Bay and Grays Harbor, where angler trip data is not available.

Table 6. 2015 Sport Salmon Catch, Area 1 - Ilwaco: Ocean

Week Ending	Year	Chinook	Coho	Pink	Sockeye	Chum	Total Salmon	Marine Angler Trips	Salmon per Trip
May 31	2015	61					61	207	0.29
June 7	2015	123					123	170	0.72
June 14	2015	62	114				176	125	1.41
June 21	2015	459	1,063				1,522	1,008	1.51
June 28	2015	313	1,429				1,742	1,045	1.67
July 4	2015	161	1,410				1,571	1,123	1.40
July 12	2015	391	2,513				2,904	1,885	1.54
July 19	2015	181	2,056	3			2,240	1,372	1.63
July 26	2015	493	3,632				4,125	2,404	1.72
August 2	2015	195	2,714				2,909	1,736	1.68
August 9	2015	641	4,596	1			5,238	3,659	1.43
August 16	2015	1,512	6,030				7,542	5,102	1.48
August 23	2015	1,222	2,473				3,695	3,412	1.08
August 30	2015	1,458	2,634				4,092	3,216	1.27
September 6	2015	1,034	2,826				3,860	2,904	1.33
September 13	2015	838	1,259				2,097	2,354	0.89
September 20	2015	190	515				705	928	0.76
September 27	2015	75	434				509	711	0.72
October 4	2015	4	12				16	29	0.55
Total		9,413	35,710	4			45,127	33,390	1.35

Table 7. 2015 Sport Salmon Catch, Area 1 - Ilwaco: River (Buoy 10)

Week Ending	Year	Chinook	Coho	Pink	Sockeye	Chum	Total Salmon	Angler Trips	Salmon per Trip
August 2	2015	163	835				998	1,470	0.68
August 9	2015	874	551				1,425	3,066	0.46
August 16	2015	1,751	2,352				4,103	5,831	0.70
August 23	2015	6,316	2,769				9,085	12,961	0.70
August 30	2015	1,821	3,110				4,931	6,511	0.76
September 6	2015	34	1,143				1,177	1,986	0.59
September 13	2015	16	278				294	1,197	0.25
September 20	2015	0	117				117	335	0.35
September 27	2015	2	100				102	310	0.33
October 4	2015	11	0				11	146	0.08
October 5-31	2015	31	68				99	392	0.25
Total		11,019	11,323				22,342	34,205	0.65

Table 8. 2015 Sport Salmon Catch, Area 2 - Westport

Week Ending	Year	Chinook	Coho	Pink	Sockeye	Chum	Total Salmon	Marine Angler Trips	Salmon per Trip
May 31	2015	429					429	981	0.44
June 7	2015	237		1			238	832	0.29
June 14	2015	185	4	5			194	764	0.25
June 21	2015	694	489	61			1,244	1,568	0.79
June 28	2015	2,229	1,852	139			4,220	3,191	1.32
July 4	2015	1,404	2,981	791			5,176	3,199	1.62
July 12	2015	2,700	2,186	980			5,866	4,969	1.18
July 19	2015	1,015	1,912	41			2,968	2,855	1.04
July 26	2015	2,076	3,657				5,733	4,233	1.35
August 2	2015	858	2,086	20			2,964	3,372	0.88
August 9	2015	2,438	1,314	47			3,799	4,097	0.93
August 16	2015	1,535	1,699	4			3,238	4,067	0.80
August 23	2015	390	1,990				2,380	2,191	1.09
August 30	2015	247	2,298	9			2,554	1,807	1.41
September 6	2015	1,245	1,935	3			3,183	2,059	1.55
September 13	2015	1,008	2,493				3,501	2,262	1.55
September 20	2015	271	1,151				1,422	1,166	1.22
September 27	2015	100	2,031				2,131	1,420	1.50
October 4	2015	59	606				665	420	1.58
Total		19,120	30,684	2,101			51,905	45,453	1.14

Table 9. 2015 Sport Salmon Catch, Area 2-1 - Willapa Bay

Statistical Month	Year	Chinook	Coho	Pink	Sockeye	Chum	Chinook Jacks	Coho Jacks	Total Salmon
June	2015	9							9
July	2015	1,098	2,683				62	27	3,870
August	2015	6,993	5,060				124	98	12,275
September	2015	1,927	861	36		9	36		2,869
October	2015	21	7						28
Total		10,048	8,611	36		9	222	125	19,051

Table 10. 2015 Sport Salmon Catch, Area 2-2 - Grays Harbor

Statistical Month	Year	Chinook	Coho	Pink	Sockeye	Chum	Chinook Jacks	Coho Jacks	Total Salmon
May	2015	28							28
July	2015	56	55						111
August	2015	120	64				9		193
September	2015	90	1,182					90	1,362
October	2015	9	763					9	781
Total		303	2,064				9	99	2,475

Table 11. 2015 Sport Salmon Catch, Area 3 - La Push

Week Ending	Year	Chinook	Coho	Pink	Sockeye	Chum	Total Salmon	Marine Angler Trips	Salmon per Trip
May 17	2015	8					8	70	0.11
May 24	2015						0	7	0.00
May 31	2015	2					2	13	0.15
June 7	2015						0	17	0.00
June 14	2015	17					17	15	1.13
June 21	2015	52	19	5			76	98	0.78
June 28	2015	90	18	18			126	118	1.07
July 4	2015	206	27	36			269	119	2.26
July 12	2015	416	69	31			516	303	1.70
July 19	2015	414	18	43			475	270	1.76
July 26	2015	726	68	1			795	380	2.09
August 2	2015	208	36	2			246	317	0.78
August 9	2015	333	64	5			402	373	1.08
August 16	2015	211	45				256	261	0.98
August 23	2015	90	68				158	231	0.68
August 30	2015	154	59				213	194	1.10
September 6	2015	53	119				172	177	0.97
September 13	2015	28	36				64	108	0.59
September 20	2015	9	7				16	24	0.67
September 27	2015	30	19				49	80	0.61
October 4	2015	158	14				172	312	0.55
October 11	2015	7	2				9	18	0.50
Total		3,212	688	141			4,041	3,505	1.15

Table 12. 2015 Sport Salmon Catch, Area 4 - Neah Bay

Week Ending	Year	Chinook	Coho	Pink	Sockeye	Chum	Total Salmon	Marine Angler Trips	Salmon per Trip
May 17	2015	35					35	179	0.20
May 24	2015	40					40	154	0.26
May 31	2015	21					21	37	0.57
June 7	2015	57					57	173	0.33
June 14	2015	128	6	5			139	258	0.54
June 21	2015	429	65	188			682	616	1.11
June 28	2015	960	142	609			1,711	1,325	1.29
July 4	2015	988	225	803			2,016	1,502	1.34
July 12	2015	1,427	455	1,450			3,332	1,847	1.80
July 19	2015	1,524	420	1,148			3,092	2,002	1.54
July 26	2015	1,267	470	1,022			2,759	2,127	1.30
August 2	2015	436	545	575			1,556	1,283	1.21
August 9	2015	8	227	284			519	520	1.00
August 16	2015	57	487	251			795	799	1.00
August 23	2015	56	297	40			393	596	0.66
August 30	2015	149	182	5			336	430	0.78
September 6	2015	49	302	5			356	383	0.93
September 13	2015	41	275				316	341	0.93
September 20	2015	5	33				38	105	0.36
September 27	2015	6	26				32	82	0.39
October 4	2015		3				3	8	0.38
Total		7,683	4,160	6,385			18,228	14,767	1.23

Table 13. 2015-2016 Sport Salmon Catch, Area 5 - Sekiu - Pillar Point

Statistical Month	Year	Chinook	Coho	Pink	Sockeye	Chum	Total Salmon	Marine Angler Trips	Salmon per Trip
April	2015	243					243	427	0.57
July	2015	3,733	2,794	13,840	23		20,390	14,766	1.38
August	2015	1,157	12,904	10,949			25,010	14,213	1.76
September	2015	143	31,009	546			31,698	25,719	1.23
October	2015	10	4,446	4		7	4,467	3,229	1.38
February	2016	40	4				44	318	0.14
March	2016	55					55	287	0.19
Total		5,381	51,157	25,339	23	7	81,907	58,959	1.39

NOTE: Estimates for July to August 15 are from creel surveys; other estimates are from catch record cards.

Table 14. 2015-2016 Sport Salmon Catch, Area 6 - East Juan de Fuca Strait

Statistical Month	Year	Chinook	Coho	Pink	Sockeye	Chum	Total Salmon	Marine Angler Trips	Salmon per Trip
April	2015	362					362	752	0.48
July	2015	3,183	10	8,169	6		11,368	8,817	1.29
August	2015	626	422	10,245			11,293	7,910	1.43
September	2015	7	3,650	848			4,505	6,612	0.68
October	2015	46	6,760			57	6,863	5,863	1.17
December	2015	53					53	216	209.00
January	2016	63					63	404	55.00
February	2016	192					192	1,995	5367.00
March	2016	93					93	536	453.00
Total		4,625	10,842	19,262	6	57	34,792	33,105	1.05

NOTE: Estimates for October through March are from creel surveys; other estimates are from catch record cards.

Table 15. 2015-2016 Sport Salmon Catch, Area 7 - San Juan Islands

Statistical Month	Year	Chinook	Coho	Pink	Sockeye	Chum	Total Salmon	Marine Angler Trips	Salmon per Trip
July	2015	2,582	7	17,112	34		19,735	14,714	1.34
August	2015	1,985	234	9,483	47		11,749	11,989	0.98
September	2015	1,467	1,763	865	15		4,110	9,138	0.45
October	2015	78	1,765			15	1,858	2,830	0.66
November	2015		7			61	68	155	0.44
December	2015	506					506	1,554	0.33
January	2016	973					973	3,085	0.32
February	2016	932					932	3,257	0.29
March	2016	176					176	517	0.34
Total		8,699	3,776	27,460	96	76	40,107	47,239	0.85

NOTE: Estimates for October, December through March are from creel surveys; other estimates are from catch record cards.

Table 16. 2015-2016 Sport Salmon Catch, Area 8-1 - Deception Pass / Hope Island

Statistical Month	Year	Chinook	Coho	Pink	Sockeye	Chum	Total Salmon	Marine Angler Trips	Salmon per Trip
April	2015	30					30	988	0.03
August	2015		633	5,171	15		5,819	10,310	0.56
September	2015	12	2,993	870			3,875	5,154	0.75
October	2015		677			3	680	1,319	0.52
November	2015	24					24	221	0.11
December	2015	7					7	244	0.03
January	2016	34					34	397	0.09
February	2016	86					86	428	0.20
March	2016	188					188	532	0.35
Total		381	4,303	6,041	15	3	10,743	19,593	0.55

NOTE: Estimates for November through March are from creel surveys; other estimates are from catch record cards.

Table 17. 2015-2016 Sport Salmon Catch, Area 8-2 - Port Susan / Port Gardner

Statistical Month	Year	Chinook	Coho	Pink	Sockeye	Chum	Total Salmon	Marine Angler Trips	Salmon per Trip
April	2015	90					90	1,235	0.07
June	2015	81	2				83	1,021	0.08
July	2015	186		56			242	4,545	0.05
August	2015	60	484	26,977		8	27,529	16,183	1.70
September	2015	30	5,788	1,712		12	7,542	13,189	0.57
October	2015	27	1,847	54		7	1,935	6,315	0.31
November	2015	61	7			7	75	822	0.09
December	2015	30					30	319	0.09
January	2016	68					68	566	0.12
February	2016	57					57	815	0.07
March	2016	259					259	1,340	0.19
Total		949	8,128	28,799		34	37,910	46,350	0.82

NOTE: Estimates for November through March are from creel surveys; other estimates are from catch record cards.

Table 18. 2015-2016 Sport Salmon Catch, Area 9 - Admiralty Inlet

Statistical Month	Year	Chinook	Coho	Pink	Sockeye	Chum	Total Salmon	Marine Angler Trips	Salmon per Trip
April	2015	272	8				280	1,156	0.24
July	2015	2,348	1,036	12,129	11	8	15,532	67,356	0.23
August	2015	166	3,091	49,930		41	53,228	31,348	1.70
September	2015	346	32,747	4,650		25	37,768	55,577	0.68
October	2015	346	8,596			319	9,261	24,043	0.39
November	2015		158				158	3,089	0.05
January	2016	63					63	632	0.10
February	2016	580					580	2,802	0.21
March	2016	607					607	2,825	0.21
Total		4,728	45,636	66,709	11	393	117,477	188,828	0.62

NOTE: Estimates from July 16-26 and January-March are from creel surveys; all other estimates are from catch record cards.

Table 19. 2015-2016 Sport Salmon Catch, Area 10 - Seattle / Bremerton

Statistical Month	Year	Chinook	Coho	Pink	Sockeye	Chum	Total Salmon	Marine Angler Trips	Salmon per Trip
July	2015	77	2,317	2,516			4,910	10,692	0.46
August	2015	50	2,056	10,773		5	12,884	9,618	1.34
September	2015	37	9,939	1,832		9	11,822	13,900	0.85
October	2015	143	1,621			26	1,790	4,110	0.44
November	2015					75	75	478	0.16
Total		307	15,933	15,121	5	115	31,481	38,798	0.81

NOTE: October estimates are from creel surveys; all other estimates are from catch record cards.

Table 20. 2015-2016 Sport Salmon Catch, Area 11 -Tacoma / Vashon Island

Statistical Month	Year	Chinook	Coho	Pink	Sockeye	Chum	Total Salmon	Marine Angler Trips	Salmon per Trip
April	2015	60					60	745	0.08
June	2015	158	3				161	4,892	0.03
July	2015	371	11	1,123			1,505	13,238	0.11
August	2015	695	431	6,867			7,993	15,744	0.51
September	2015	279	750	887			1,916	6,986	0.27
October	2015	9	330			9	348	2,146	0.16
November	2015	56				57	113	4,644	0.02
December	2015	23					23	1,090	0.02
January	2016		15				15	463	
February	2016	28	10				38	850	0.04
March	2016	45					45	596	0.08
Total		1,724	1,550	8,877		66	12,217	51,394	0.24

NOTE: Estimates for June-September are from creel surveys; other estimates are from catch record cards.

Table 21. 2015-2016 Sport Salmon Catch, Area 12 - Hood Canal

Statistical Month	Year	Chinook	Coho	Pink	Sockeye	Chum	Total Salmon	Marine Angler Trips	Salmon per Trip
April	2015	53					53	518	0.10
July	2015			355			355	1,170	0.30
August	2015	97	289	506			892	14,040	0.06
September	2015	200	601				801	9,407	0.09
October	2015		257				257	772	0.33
November	2015	3					1,562	1,565	838
December	2015	53					53	580	0.09
February	2016	121					121	684	0.18
March	2016	234					234	609	0.38
Total		761	1,147	861		1,562	4,331	28,618	0.15

Table 22. 2015-2016 Sport Salmon Catch, Area 13 - South Puget Sound

Statistical Month	Year	Chinook	Coho	Pink	Sockeye	Chum	Total Salmon	Marine Angler Trips	Salmon per Trip
April	2015	8					8	38	0.211
May	2015	38					38	4,005	0.01
June	2015	8					8	410	0.02
July	2015	79		27			106	3,838	0.03
August	2015	806	22	116			944	5,903	0.16
September	2015	96	132	316			544	4,749	0.11
October	2015		59	3		203	265	934	0.28
November	2015					742	742	1,507	0.49
December	2015					30	30	283	0.11
January	2016	2	6				8	324	0.02
February	2016		8				8	178	
March	2016	38					38	850	0.04
Total		1,037	265	462		975	2,739	23,019	0.12

Table 23. 2015-2016 Freshwater Salmon Sport Catch by Area and Month

System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	COASTAL RIVER SYSTEMS									2016	Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		
Grays Harbor	Humptulips River	358	Chinook						1,835	1,218	124			3,177
			Chum						70	9				79
			Coho						79	238	290	114	9	730
			Jackchin						62	44				106
			Jackcoho						9	9				18
			Total						1,976	1,579	432	114	9	4,110
	Johns River	367	Coho						26					26
			Jackcoho						18					18
			Total						44					44
Chehalis R. System	Chehalis River	315	Coho						97					97
			Total						97					97
			Chinook	27	9				9	1,758	2,461	18		36
			Coho						9	106	53			4,273
			Jackchin						188	520				168
	Satsop River	329	Jackcoho											708
			Total	27	9	18	2,052	3,034	18					5,185
			Chinook						71	159	18			248
			Chum						150	53				203
			Coho						159	257	62	230	44	752
Skookumchuck River	333		Jackchin						18					18
			Jackcoho						53	27	44	9	44	177
			Total						283	611	177	239	88	1,398
			Coho						9		18		27	63
			Total						9		18		27	63
Wynoochee River	337		Chum						71	18				89
			Coho						71	9				80
			Jackchin						18					18
			Jackcoho						9					9
			Total						18	151	27			196

Table 23. 2015-2016 Freshwater Salmon Sport Catch by Area and Month (continued)

COASTAL RIVER SYSTEMS															
System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	2015								2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	
Black R. System	Black River (Thurston Co)	706	Coho							9					9
			Total							9					9
Copalis R. System	Copalis River	339	Coho							126	169	34			329
			Jackchin							8					8
			Jackcoho							25	42				67
			Total							159	211	34			404
Hoh R. System	Hoh River above Oxbow Launch	348	Chinook							72	9				81
			Coho							9	18				27
			Total							81	27				108
			Hoh River below Oxbow Launch							36	90				126
										54	172	9			235
										9					9
										45					45
										90	316	9			415
Joe Creek System	Joe Creek	323	Coho							35	35				70
			Jackcoho							9					9
			Total							44	35				79
Ozette R. System	Big River (Clallam Co)	386	Coho							18					18
			Total							18					18
Queets R. System	Clearwater River	392	Chinook							8	97	16			121
			Coho							8					8
			Total							8	105	16			129
	Queets River	394	Chinook							136	42				178
			Coho							81	73				154
			Total							81	209	42			332
	Salmon River (Jefferson Co)	396	Chinook							57	211	16			284
			Coho							89	41	8			146
			Total							89	98	219	16		430

Table 23. 2015-2016 Freshwater Salmon Sport Catch by Area and Month (continued)

System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	COASTAL RIVER SYSTEMS									2016	Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		
Quillayute R. System	Bogachiel River	398	Chinook						43	182	17		9	251
			Coho					17	26	191	69			303
			Jackchin						17	17				34
			Jackcoho							17				17
			Total					17	86	407	86		9	605
	Calawah River	400	Chinook						9		9			18
			Coho								17			17
			Total						9		26			35
	Dickey River (Clallam Co)	402	Coho						9	43				52
			Total						9	43				52
	Quillayute River	404	Chinook		35	9			9	148				201
			Coho			52	130	96	782	139				1,199
			Sockeye			9	17	26			9			61
			Jackchin		9	9		9	17					44
			Jackcoho					9	87	26				122
			Total		44	79	147	149	1,034	174				1,627
	Sol Duc River	406	Chinook	69	165	148	43		78	339	113		9	990
			Coho				9			417	973	9		1,408
			Sockeye			17		52	26					95
			Jackchin					9	9					18
			Jackcoho					26	148	9				183
			Total	69	165	148	69		165	939	1,095	9		9
Quinault R. System	Quinault River	410	Chinook						35					35
			Coho								53			53
			Total						35	53				88

Table 23. 2015-2016 Freshwater Salmon Sport Catch by Area and Month (continued)

COASTAL RIVER SYSTEMS															
System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	2015								2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Jan	Feb	Mar	
Willapa Bay	Bear River (Pacific Co)	305	Chum							36				36	
			Coho							9	9			18	
			Total							45	9			54	
	Naselle River	375	Chinook					161	429	101				691	
			Chum							55				55	
			Coho						36	729	653	143	18	1,579	
			Jackchin					36	9					45	
			Jackcoho							54				54	
			Total					197	474	939	653	143	18	2,424	
	Nemah River	379	Chinook					259	3,586	134				3,979	
			Chum							9				9	
			Coho							9				9	
			Jackchin						98					98	
			Total					259	3,693	143				4,095	
	North River	382	Chinook							9				9	
			Chum							18				18	
			Coho							259				259	
			Jackcoho					9	36					45	
			Total					9	322					331	
	Palix River	390	Coho							9				9	
			Total							9				9	
	Smith Creek (Pacific Co)	384	Chinook					27						27	
			Total					27						27	
	Willapa River	424	Chinook					154	920	711		54		1,839	
			Chum							36	18			54	
			Coho					82	101	238	82	109	9	621	
			Jackchin						63	54				117	
			Jackcoho						9	9				27	
			Total					236	1,093	1,048	100	172	9	2,658	

Table 23. 2015-2016 Freshwater Salmon Sport Catch by Area and Month (continued)

System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	COASTAL RIVER SYSTEMS										2016	Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan		
Coastal River Totals			Chinook	69	192	192	52	601	7,024	3,488	559	70	9	35	12,291
			Chum							445	98				543
			Coho		8		61	238	2,623	6,370	2,478	623	134	9	12,544
			Sockeye				26	17	78	26	9				156
			Jackchin			9	9	45	399	221					683
			Jackcoho						319	1,030	88	18	44		1,499
			Total	69	200	201	148	901	10,443	11,580	3,232	711	178	18	27,716

Table 23. 2015-2016 Freshwater Salmon Sport Catch by Area and Month (continued)

System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	COLUMBIA RIVER SYSTEMS										2016	Total	
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan			
Columbia R. Mainstem	Buoy 10 Line - Rocky Pt - Tongue Pt Line	519	Chinook	116		18	163	10,762	52	42			27		11,180	
			Coho			9	835	8,782	1,638	68					11,332	
			Total	116		27	998	19,544	1,690	110				27	22,512	
	Columbia - below Bonneville	521	Chinook	6,082	3,121	1,551	2,268	5,778	14,055	3,349	152	9	18	64	1,996	38,443
			Coho				11	73	258	239	9					590
			Sockeye			482	259									741
			Jackchin	34	566	88	174	140	630	230				15		1,877
			Jackcoho						19	35						54
			Total	6,116	3,687	2,121	2,712	5,991	14,962	3,853	161	9	18	64	2,011	41,705
Cowlitz R. System	Cispus River	555	Chinook			169	473	160	36							847
			Coho								27	18				45
			Jackchin			9	18									27
			Jackcoho								9					9
			Total			178	491	169	36		36	18				928

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COLUMBIA RIVER SYSTEMS															
System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	2015								2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Jan	Feb	Mar	
Cowlitz R. System (cont.)	Cowlitz R. below Mayfield Dam	561	Chinook	3,746	2,390	1,042	611	557	2,349	791	54	9	72	1,635	13,256
			Coho				9	36	405	704	143				1,297
			Jackchin	605	812	289	135	72	253	54	18	27	27	2,265	731
			Jackcoho					18	80	392	223	18			731
			Total	4,351	3,202	1,331	755	683	3,087	1,941	438	18	9	72	1,662
	Cowlitz R. between Mayfield & Cowlitz Falls Dams	563	Chinook	18				53		18					89
			Total	18				53		18					89
	Cowlitz R. above Cowlitz Falls Dam	559	Chinook	189	207	352		9		27			18	802	802
			Coho							9	9	18			
			Jackchin	36	45	80				9		9	179	179	
			Jackcoho							36	9			45	
			Total	225	252	432		9		45	45	9	27	1,044	1,044
Green River (Cowlitz Co.)	above Toutle Hatchery	566	Coho					9							9
			Total					9							9
	below Toutle Hatchery	565	Chinook					9	36						45
			Total					9	36						45
	Tilton River	571	Chinook				27	36	152						215
			Coho					46	273	18	100				437
			Jackchin				27	27							54
			Jackcoho					36	53	45	18				152
			Total				27	145	505	63	118				858
Toutle River	573	573	Chinook					71	9						80
			Coho				27								27
			Total				27	71	9						107

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System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	COLUMBIA RIVER SYSTEMS									2016	Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		
Cowlitz R. System (cont.)	Toutle River, No Fork	575	Chinook					9	660	169				838
			Coho					80	98	9				187
			Jackcoho						9					9
			Total					9	740	276	9			1,034
Lewis R. System	Lewis River	611	Chinook						139	43	69			251
			Coho					35	35	35	95			200
			Jackchin						9	17				26
			Jackcoho						9	17				26
			Total					35	183	104	181			503
	Lewis River, North Fork	615	Chinook					26	157	1,016	1,366	306	18	2,889
			Coho					18	432	562	425	43		1,480
			Jackchin					19	9	75	9			112
			Jackcoho						87	52	9			148
			Total					26	194	1,544	2,055	749	61	
Lower Columbia	Deep River (Wahkiakum Co)	580	Coho						9					9
			Total						9					9
	Elochoman River below Foster Rd Bridge	583	Chinook					27						27
			Total					27						27
	Grays River above Barr Rd Bridge	595	Coho							9	45			54
			Total							9	45			54
	Grays River below Barr Rd Bridge	594	Coho						9	9				18
			Total						9	9				18
	Grays River, West Fork	596	Coho							9	100	36		145
			Jackcoho								27			27
			Total							9	127	36		172

Table 23. 2015-2016 Freshwater Salmon Sport Catch by Area and Month (continued)

COLUMBIA RIVER SYSTEMS																		
System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	2015								2016			Total			
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb				
Lower Columbia (cont.)	Kalama River below Modrow Bridge	604	Chinook	208	199	63	90	154	425	27				36	1,202			
			Coho						27	434	280			741	741			
			Jackchin	18	18	9			9					54	54			
			Total	226	217	72	90	154	461	461	280			36	1,997			
	Kalama River between Modrow Bridge and Kalama Falls Hatchery	603	Chinook	145	353	63	18		90	18				27	714			
			Coho						65	46	232	28			371	371		
			Jackchin	27	63	9								99	99			
			Jackcoho								9			9	9			
			Total	172	416	72	18		155	64	241	28		27	1,193			
	Washougal River above County Line Access	668	Chinook						63						63			
			Coho							127	9				136			
			Jackcoho							18					18			
			Total						63	145	9				217			
	Washougal River below County Line Access	667	Chinook						1,996	212		9			2,217			
			Coho						81	54	45				180			
			Jackchin						127						127			
			Total						2,204	266	45	9			2,524			
Lower Columbia System Totals			Chinook	10,504	6,270	3,258	3,649	17,649	21,050	6,259	581	36	27	136	3,739	73,158		
			Coho		9	855	8,980	3,076	2,558	1,564	234					17,276		
			Sockeye		482	259										741		
			Jackchin	720	1,504	484	327	231	1,064	412	27				51	4,820		
			Jackcoho						18	222	550	393	45			1,228		
			Total	11,224	7,774	4,233	5,090	26,878	25,412	9,779	2,565	315		27	136	3,790	97,223	

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COLUMBIA RIVER SYSTEMS															
System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	2015								2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	
Big White Salmon River	Big White Salmon River	508	Chinook					26	115						141
			Coho						26						26
			Total					26	141						167
Klickitat River	Klickitat River above Fishway 5	608	Chinook		132	282	26	2,151	925	44					3,560
			Coho						71						71
			Jackchin		9	18		26	44						97
			Total		141	300	26	2,177	1,040	44					3,728
	Klickitat River below Fishway 5	607	Chinook	27	115	62		18	3,142	1,628	89				5,081
			Coho					27	415	1,157	311				1,919
			Jackchin					264	97	9	18				388
			Jackcoho					53	53	71	9				186
			Total	27	115	62		18	3,486	2,193	1,326	338			7,574
Little White Salmon River & Drano Lake	Little White Salmon River & Drano Lake	618	Chinook	1,927	464	96	123	552	2,253	2,006	9				7,439
			Coho					9	209	140	35				393
			Jackchin	9	44		18	35	123	149					378
			Jackcoho					61							61
			Total	1,936	508	96	141	596	2,646	2,295	44				8,271
Mid Columbia	Columbia Bonneville Dam to The Dalles Dam	527	Chinook	293	52	17	39	276	4,045	2,147	35				6,904
			Coho						130	38	237	37			442
			Sockeye				29								29
			Jackchin		9			17	318	95					439
			Jackcoho						9	17	17				43
			Total	293	61	17	68	293	4,502	2,297	289	37			7,857
	Columbia The Dalles Dam to John Day Dam	529	Chinook	711	173	35	35	52	676	295	9				1,986
			Coho						45	15					60
			Sockeye				17								17
			Jackchin	26	9				60	34					129
			Total	737	182	52	35	52	781	344	9				2,192

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Table 23. 2015-2016 Freshwater Salmon Sport Catch by Area and Month (continued)

Table 23. 2015-2016 Freshwater Salmon Sport Catch by Area and Month (continued)

COLUMBIA RIVER SYSTEMS															
System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	2015								2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	
Upper Columbia	Columbia McNary Dam to Hwy 395 Bridge	533	Chinook			35	18		219	272					544
			Coho						26	9	9				44
			Jackchin					35	35	44					114
			Total			35	18	35	280	325	9				702
	Columbia Hwy 395 Bridge to I-182 Bridge	534	Chinook			54	90	234	1,143	882				45	2,448
			Coho						9	9					18
			Sockeye			39	118	88							245
			Jackchin				18	18	44	44					124
			Jackcoho							18					18
			Total			93	226	340	1,196	953				45	2,853
	Columbia I-182 Bridge-old Hanford townsite	535	Chinook			79	71	123	6,585	10,119					16,977
			Coho						123	185					308
			Sockeye			522	135		18						675
			Jackchin				18		421	711					1,150
			Jackcoho						35	18					53
			Total			601	224	123	7,182	11,033					19,163
	Columbia Old Hanford townsite-Priest Rapids Dam	536	Chinook			18	9	35	5,440	8,151					13,653
			Coho						18	18					36
			Sockeye			70				9					79
			Jackchin				18		333	518					869
			Jackcoho						35						35
			Total			18	97	35	5,791	8,731					14,672
	Columbia Priest Rapids to Wanapum Dam	537	Chinook			160	53	729	409	9					1,360
			Sockeye			114			27						141
			Jackchin				18	44	70	70					202
			Total			292	97	826	479	9					1,703
	Columbia Wanapum to Rock Island Dam	539	Chinook			18	9		395	1,193	35				1,650
			Sockeye				26		9						35
			Jackchin						53	167					220
			Total			18	35		457	1,360	35				1,905

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COLUMBIA RIVER SYSTEMS															
System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	2015								2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	
Upper Columbia (cont.)	Columbia Rock Island to Rocky Reach Dam	541	Chinook			140		181	9	35					365
			Sockeye			1,395		126							1,521
			Jackchin			70		70	9						149
			Total			1,605		377	18	35					2,035
	Columbia Rocky Reach to Wells Dam	543	Chinook			1,073		344	53	88					1,558
			Sockeye			785		9	9						803
			Jackchin			88		26	18	9					141
			Total			1,946		379	80	97					2,502
	Columbia Wells to Chief Joseph Dam	545	Chinook			1,531		850	179	107	9				2,676
			Sockeye			39,614		71	27	27					39,739
			Jackchin			175		70	18	26					289
			Total			41,320		991	224	160	9				42,704
Wenatchee R. System	Icicle Creek	672	Chinook		415	17									432
			Jackchin		34	34									68
			Total		449	51									500
	Lake Wenatchee	670	Sockeye		5,193	4,409									9,602
			Total		5,193	4,409									9,602
	Wenatchee River	674	Chinook		415	59									474
			Jackchin		59	25									84
			Total		474	84									558
Yakima R. System	Yakima River	690	Chinook		90			315	1,512						1,917
			Coho					19	59						78
			Jackchin					9	45						54
			Total		90			343	1,616						2,049
Upper Columbia System Totals			Chinook		920	280	3,197	1,846	15,085	22,768	53			45	44,194
			Coho						195	280	9				484
			Sockeye		561	47,547	4,703	90	36						52,937
			Jackchin		93	59	423	263	1,010	1,634					3,482
			Jackcoho						35	71					106
			Total		1,013	900	51,167	6,812	16,415	24,789	62			45	101,203

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System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	COLUMBIA RIVER SYSTEMS									2016	Total			
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec					
Snake R. System	Snake River: below Ice Harbor	640	Chinook	458	201	9				18					686		
			Jackchin		9			18							27		
			Total	467	201	27				18					713		
	Snake River: Ice Harbor to Lower Monumental Dam	642	Chinook							18					18		
			Total							18					18		
	Snake River: Lower Monumental to Little Goose Dam	644	Chinook	614	548	151	9		76	104					1,502		
			Jackchin	10	30	20	10			40					110		
			Total	624	578	171	19		76	144					1,612		
	Snake River: Little Goose to Lower Granite Dam	646	Chinook	18	46	9			174	46					293		
			Jackchin							9					9		
			Total	18	46	9			183	46					302		
	Snake River: Lower Granite to Interstate Bridge	648	Chinook	128	430				449	137					1,144		
			Jackchin						37	27					64		
			Total	128	430				486	164					1,208		
	Snake River: upstream of Interstate Bridge	650	Chinook						119	82					201		
			Jackchin							9					9		
			Total						119	91					210		
Snake River System Totals			Chinook	1,218	1,225	169	9		818	405					3,844		
			Jackchin	19	30	38	10		46	76					219		
			Total	1,237	1,255	207	19		864	481					4,063		

Table 23. 2015-2016 Freshwater Salmon Sport Catch by Area and Month (continued)

PUGET SOUND RIVER SYSTEMS															
System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	2015								2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	
Dewatto R. System	Dewatto River	732	Coho							159				159	
			Total							159				159	
Dosewallips R. System	Dosewallips River	734	Chum							18				18	
			Total							18				18	
Dungeness R. System	Dungeness River	738	Coho							18	129	156		303	
			Jackcoho							37	18			55	
			Total							18	166	174		358	
Green-Duwamish R. System	Green - Duwamish River	746	Chum							29	470	10		509	
			Pink							3,338	11,706	4,048		19,092	
			Coho							54	1,598	580		2,232	
			Jackcoho							411	116			527	
			Total							3,392	13,715	4,773	470	10	22,360
Kennedy Cr. System	Kennedy Creek	754	Chum							9	92	101		202	
			Total							9	92	101		202	
Lake Washington System	Lake Washington	762	Coho							97	35			132	
			Total							97	35			132	
Minter Cr. System	Minter Creek	778	Chum							9	4,458	378		4,845	
			Total							9	4,458	378		4,845	
Nisqually R. System	Nisqually River	786	Chinook							268	1,428	72		1,768	
			Chum							36	63	135	9	243	
			Pink							906	6,322	678		7,906	
			Coho							162	153			315	
			Jackchin							81	512	36		629	
			Jackcoho							153	27			180	
			Total							1,255	8,577	1,002	63	135	11,041

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PUGET SOUND RIVER SYSTEMS															
System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	2015								2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	
Nooksack Samish R. System	Dakota Creek (Whatcom Co)	724	Coho							70				70	
			Total							70				70	
	Nooksack River	788	Chinook						61	17				78	
			Chum							17	201	11		229	
			Pink				810	4,228	1,119	123				6,280	
			Coho						1,381	1,482	9	34		2,906	
			Jackchin							9	44			53	
			Jackcoho							35				35	
			Total			810	4,228	2,605	1,683	210	45			9,581	
	Samish River	816	Chinook					685	3,352	1,115				5,152	
			Chum						26	105				131	
			Pink					35	97					132	
			Coho					26	106	9				141	
			Jackchin					35	288	17				340	
			Total				781	3,869	1,246					5,896	
	Whatcom Creek	884	Chum						98	2,076	45			2,219	
			Pink					52		52				104	
			Coho						17	9	131			157	
			Total				52	17	159	2,207	45			2,480	
Puyallup R. System	Carbon River	802	Chinook					240	27					267	
			Pink				27	6,831	623					7,481	
			Coho					347	713	9				1,069	
			Jackchin					89	71					160	
			Jackcoho						27	187				214	
			Total				27	7,534	1,621	9				9,191	

Table 23. 2015-2016 Freshwater Salmon Sport Catch by Area and Month (continued)

PUGET SOUND RIVER SYSTEMS															
System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	2015								2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	
Puyallup R. System (cont.)	Puyallup River	804	Chinook					512	241	58	10				821
			Chum							10	96	10			116
			Pink					207	68,484	23,356		477			92,524
			Coho					9	898	1,519	242	9	9		2,686
			Jackchin					255		137	9				401
			Jackcoho					205	347	53					605
			Total					216	70,354	25,600	849	115	19		97,153
Quilcene R. System	Quilcene River	812	Coho					9	645	74					728
			Jackcoho						18						18
			Total					9	663	74					746
Skagit R. System	Baker Lake	825	Sockeye					7,905	2,113	62					10,080
	Cascade River	826	Total					7,905	2,113	62					10,080
			Chinook					9							9
			Coho							44	325	18			387
			Jackcoho							9					9
			Total					9		44	334	18			405
	Skagit River	830	Chinook					26	26						52
			Chum							9					9
			Pink					433	7,004	20,447	1,167				29,051
			Coho						88	941	1,187				2,216
			Sockeye					475	255		70				800
			Jackchin						9						9
			Jackcoho							26	79				105
			Total					510	714	7,092	21,493	2,433			32,242

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System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	PUGET SOUND RIVER SYSTEMS								2016			Total	
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	
Skokomish R. System	Skokomish River	834	Chinook				110	2,798	28							2,936
			Chum							930	891					1,821
			Pink				27									27
			Coho					81	253	452	418	72				1,276
			Jackchin				9	72	9							90
			Jackcoho					145	217	9	18					389
			Total				146	2,951	435	1,599	1,318	90				6,539
Snohomish R. System	Skykomish River	844	Chinook					9								9
			Chum							36						36
			Pink				89	4,919	384							5,392
			Coho				45	215	610							870
			Jackcoho					9	9							18
			Total				134	5,152	1,003	36						6,325
			Snohomish River	850	Pink		63	8,922	21,538	269						30,792
Snoqualmie River	Snoqualmie River	852	Coho				18	667	1,922							2,607
			Jackcoho					9	18							27
			Total				63	8,940	22,214	2,209						33,426
			Pink					259	32	11						302
			Coho					53	62							115
			Jackcoho					9								9
			Total					312	103	11						426
Stillaguamish River	Stillaguamish River	872	Pink					2,370	125							2,495
			Coho					152	195							347
			Total					2,522	320							2,842
Wallace River	Wallace River	860	Pink					36	9							45
			Coho					27	98							125
			Total					63	107							170

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PUGET SOUND RIVER SYSTEMS															
System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	2015								2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	
Puget Sound System Totals			Chinook			35	136	4,263	5,359	1,289	10				11,092
			Chum					44		1,326	8,410	589	9		10,378
			Pink			1,540	93,085	99,000		7,987	11				201,623
			Coho			9	1,219	8,242	8,506	750	115				18,841
			Sockeye		475	8,160	2,113		132						10,880
			Jackchin		9	9	443	1,044		177					1,682
			Jackcoho				205	1,180	761	27	18				2,191
			Total		519	9,854	101,328	115,001	20,046	9,208	722	9			256,687

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UNKNOWN AREAS																
System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	2015								2016			Total	
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb		
Unknown Area Totals			Chinook	77	120	56	161	471	564	363	28		9	9	46	1,904
			Chum				25			86	294	25				430
			Pink			10	643	2,670	2,369	257	10					5,959
			Coho		10	19	207	498	836	321	19	10	19	19		1,958
			Sockeye		28	349	190			9						576
			Jackchin				20	10	30	20						80
			Jackcoho		9	9	18	9	45	54	9					153
			Total	77	139	122	1,423	3,848	3,844	1,110	360	35	28	28	46	11,060

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System	Stream	CRC Code	Species	STATEWIDE TOTALS												Total	
				2015									2016				
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar		
Statewide Totals			Chinook	16,889	11,789	4,457	7,701	25,844	62,604	41,888	1,452	106	36	154	3,883	176,803	
			Chum				25			44	1,857	8,802	614	9			11,351
			Pink			10	2,183	95,755	101,369	8,244		21				207,582	
			Coho		18	28	1,132	10,944	15,392	18,767	6,249	1,330	162	28		54,050	
			Sockeye			1,563	56,370	7,023	300	71		9				65,336	
			Jackchin	783	1,787	608	834	1,044	4,427	2,976	36	18			60	12,573	
			Jackcoho			9	9	18	232	1,924	2,536	605	90	44		5,467	
			Total	17,672	13,603	6,675	68,263	140,842	186,060	76,339	17,174	2,158	251	182	3,943	533,162	

Table 24. 2015-2016 Washington Sport Salmon Fishing, by Residence

County of Residence	Number Catch Record Cards	Population by County	% Catch Record Card Holders	Total Freshwater Salmon Catch	Total Marine Salmon Catch	Total Salmon	Average Catch per Card
Adams	1,508	19,254	7.8	1,296	423	1,719	1.14
Asotin	2,030	22,105	9.2	924	399	1,323	0.65
Benton	17,474	190,309	9.2	19,485	3,486	22,971	1.31
Chelan	7,571	75,644	10.0	14,535	2,722	17,257	2.28
Clallam	11,042	73,486	15.0	2,331	33,158	35,489	3.21
Clark	39,619	459,495	8.6	43,411	12,432	55,843	1.41
Columbia	527	3,944	13.4	127	212	339	0.64
Cowlitz	19,286	103,468	18.6	22,155	6,265	28,420	1.47
Douglas	3,617	40,534	8.9	7,052	1,568	8,620	2.38
Ferry	367	7,582	4.8	560	212	772	2.1
Franklin	7,608	88,807	8.6	8,382	797	9,179	1.21
Garfield	322	2,219	14.5	297	29	326	1.01
Grant	5,525	93,259	5.9	6,475	3,661	10,136	1.83
Grays Harbor	11,295	71,122	15.9	7,653	14,490	22,143	1.96
Island	16,238	80,593	20.1	2,848	39,674	42,522	2.62
Jefferson	4,549	30,466	14.9	645	9,508	10,153	2.23
King	113,515	2,117,125	5.4	81,576	91,035	172,611	1.52
Kitsap	24,499	260,131	9.4	5,586	33,940	39,526	1.61
Kittitas	3,263	43,269	7.5	2,636	3,806	6,442	1.97
Klickitat	3,014	21,026	14.3	5,695	269	5,964	1.98
Lewis	10,673	75,882	14.1	8,679	6,871	15,550	1.46
Lincoln	753	10,321	7.3	890	704	1,594	2.12
Mason	6,847	61,023	11.2	3,611	9,976	13,587	1.98
Okanogan	3,569	41,516	8.6	7,026	1,236	8,262	2.31
Pacific	4,175	20,848	20.0	4,526	8,311	12,837	3.07
Pend Oreille	513	13,088	3.9	847	736	1,583	3.09
Pierce	71,330	843,954	8.5	82,626	46,023	128,649	1.8
San Juan	2,762	16,252	17.0	136	4,973	5,109	1.85
Skagit	21,360	121,846	17.5	24,248	14,327	38,575	1.81
Skamania	1,286	11,339	11.3	1,746	116	1,862	1.45
Snohomish	75,380	772,501	9.8	46,513	76,803	123,316	1.64
Spokane	15,326	490,945	3.1	15,960	5,611	21,571	1.41
Stevens	1,578	43,791	3.6	1,907	786	2,693	1.71
Thurston	24,310	269,536	9.0	19,756	21,359	41,115	1.69
Wahkiakum	1,132	4,042	28.0	2,356	951	3,307	2.92
Walla Walla	4,603	60,338	7.6	2,679	429	3,108	0.68
Whatcom	20,855	212,284	9.8	18,459	7,281	25,740	1.23
Whitman	1,992	48,177	4.1	576	658	1,234	0.62
Yakima	16,601	248,830	6.7	13,332	6,780	20,112	1.21
Unknown WA	1,091			1,627	890	2,517	2.31
Washington Total	579,005	7,170,351	8.1	491,169	472,907	964,076	1.67
Other State Total	55,141			41,691	41,249	82,940	1.5
Canada	1,969			68	230	298	0.15
Other	480			237	148	385	0.8
Grand Total	636,595			533,165	514,534	1,047,699	1.65

Source: Table 1: Annual Estimates of the Resident Population for Counties of Washington: April 1, 2010 to July 1, 2015. Source: Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau. Release Date: March 2016.

Table 25. 2015-2016 Frequency Distribution of Estimated Salmon Catch Record Cards and Catch

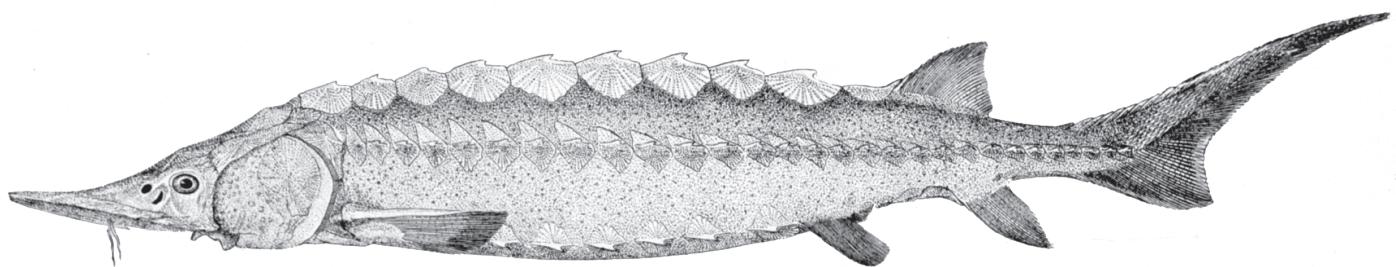
#Salmon per Catch Record Card	Number of Cards	Cumulative Number of Cards	Percent Cards	Cumulative Percent Cards	Total Catch	Cumulative Total Catch	Percent Catch	Cumulative Percent Catch
0	463,876	463,876	72.87%	72.87%	0	0	0.00%	0.00%
1	37,140	501,016	5.83%	78.70%	37,140	37,140	3.54%	3.54%
2	32,947	533,963	5.18%	83.88%	65,894	103,034	6.29%	9.83%
3	17,195	551,158	2.70%	86.58%	51,585	154,619	4.92%	14.75%
4	17,612	568,770	2.77%	89.35%	70,448	225,067	6.72%	21.47%
5	9,339	578,109	1.47%	90.81%	46,695	271,762	4.46%	25.93%
6	8,089	586,198	1.27%	92.08%	48,534	320,296	4.63%	30.56%
7	5,964	592,162	0.94%	93.02%	41,748	362,044	3.98%	34.54%
8	5,411	597,573	0.85%	93.87%	43,288	405,332	4.13%	38.67%
9	4,762	602,335	0.75%	94.62%	42,858	448,190	4.09%	42.76%
10	3,776	606,111	0.59%	95.21%	37,760	485,950	3.60%	46.36%
11	3,070	609,181	0.48%	95.69%	33,770	519,720	3.22%	49.58%
12	2,950	612,131	0.46%	96.16%	35,400	555,120	3.38%	52.96%
13	2,309	614,440	0.36%	96.52%	30,017	585,137	2.87%	55.83%
14	2,068	616,508	0.32%	96.84%	28,952	614,089	2.76%	58.59%
15	2,004	618,512	0.31%	97.16%	30,060	644,149	2.87%	61.46%
16	1,515	620,027	0.24%	97.40%	24,240	668,389	2.31%	63.77%
17	1,515	621,542	0.24%	97.64%	25,755	694,144	2.46%	66.23%
18	1,243	622,785	0.20%	97.83%	22,374	716,518	2.14%	68.37%
19	1,194	623,979	0.19%	98.02%	22,686	739,204	2.17%	70.54%
20	1,034	625,013	0.16%	98.18%	20,680	759,884	1.97%	72.51%
21	946	625,959	0.15%	98.33%	19,866	779,750	1.90%	74.41%
22	1,050	627,009	0.16%	98.49%	23,100	802,850	2.20%	76.61%
23	946	627,955	0.15%	98.64%	21,758	824,608	2.08%	78.69%
24	922	628,877	0.14%	98.79%	22,128	846,736	2.11%	80.80%
25	1,130	630,007	0.18%	98.96%	28,250	874,986	2.70%	83.50%
26	6,076	636,083	0.95%	99.92%	157,976	1,032,962	15.08%	98.58%
27	345	636,428	0.05%	99.97%	9,315	1,042,277	0.89%	99.47%
28	64	636,492	0.01%	99.98%	1,792	1,044,069	0.17%	99.64%
29	32	636,524	0.01%	99.99%	928	1,044,997	0.09%	99.73%
30	24	636,548	0.00%	99.99%	720	1,045,717	0.07%	99.80%
31 +	48	636,596	0.00%	100.00%	1,976	1,047,693	0.20%	100.00%
Total		636,596		100.00%		1,047,693		100.00%

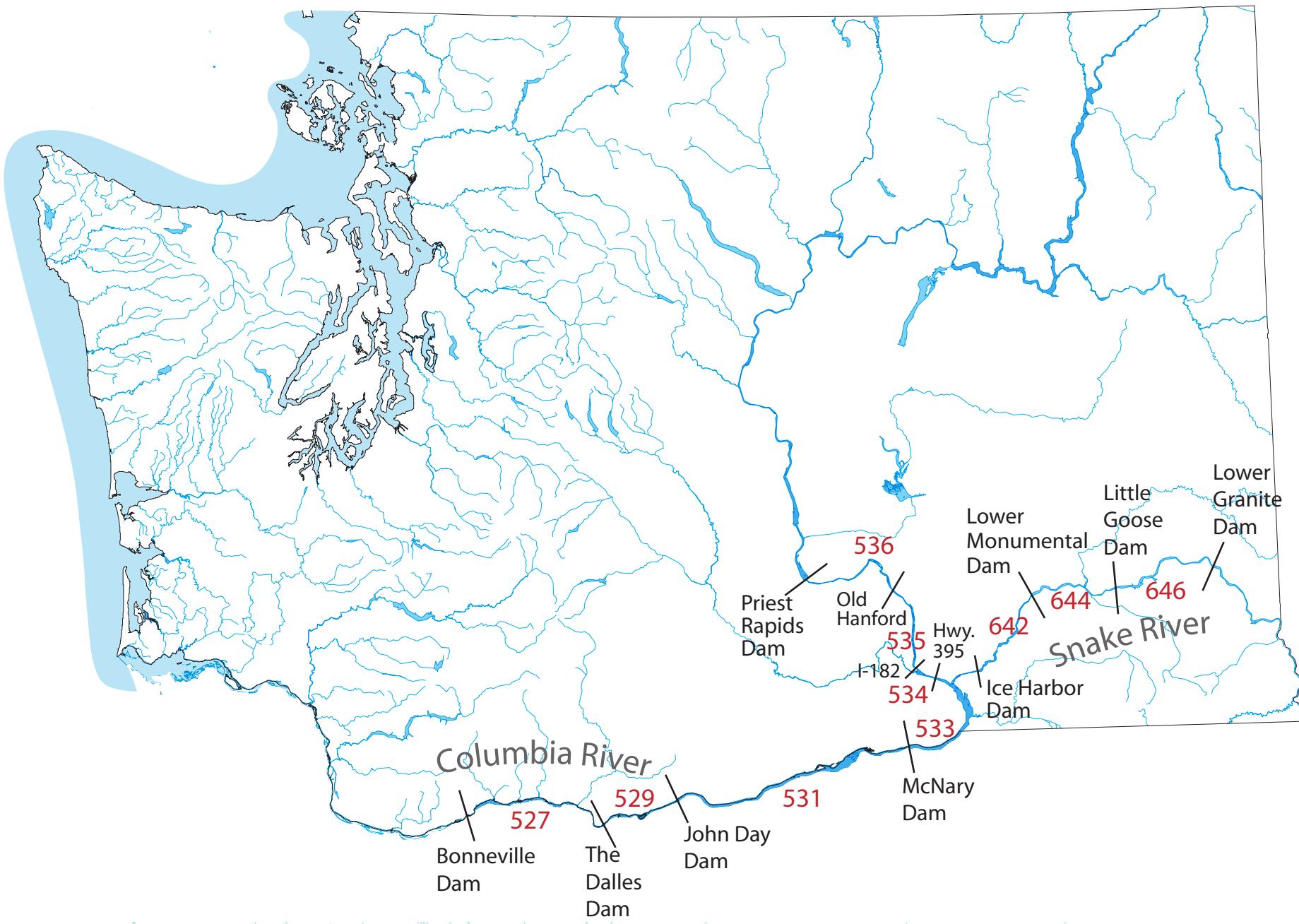
*Note: A single card has room for twenty-six salmon entries. Cards showing more than that were filled out incorrectly, with more than one salmon per line.

Table 26. 2015-2016 Sport Salmon Inventory of Catch Record Cards Received

Response Type	With Catch	No catch	Total Reports	Number of Salmon	Catch per Card
Prior to reminder	20,222	36,823	57,045	124,739	2.19
After 1st reminder postcard	383	1,572	1,955	2,251	1.15
After 2nd reminder postcard	939	101	1,040	3,705	3.56
Total	21,544	38,496	60,040	130,695	2.18

Sturgeon





DESCRIPTION OF STURGEON CATCH RECORD CARD AREAS

Columbia River

- 527 Bonneville to the Dalles Dam
- 529 The Dalles Dam to John Day Dam
- 531 John Day to McNary Dam
- 533 McNary Dam to Highway 395 Bridge at Pasco
- 534 Highway 395 Bridge at Pasco to I-82 Bridge
- 535 I-82 Bridge to Old Hanford Townsite
- 536 Old Hanford Townsite to Priest Rapids Dam

Snake River

- 640 Below Ice Harbor Dam
- 642 Ice Harbor to Lower Monumental Dam
- 644 Lower Monumental to Little Goose Dam
- 646 Little Goose to Lower Granite Dam

Table 27. 2015-2016 Sport Sturgeon Catch, by Area and Month

Catch Area	Species	COLUMBIA RIVER SYSTEMS										2016	Total	
		Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb		
Columbia R 05: Bonneville to The Dalles Dam	White			272	49						71	12	404	
Columbia R 06: The Dalles to John Day Dam	White	19	24		25						7	9	84	
Columbia R 07: John Day to McNary Dam	White	47	122	13							30	13	12	237
Columbia R 08: McNary Dam - Hwy 395 Bridge in Pasco	White	25	12	37	25									99
Columbia R 09: Hwy 395 Bridge to Old Hanford townsite	White	12		25	49									86
Columbia R 09: Old Hanford townsite to Priest Rapids Dam	White	37	12	62	74							12		197
Little White Salmon River & Drano Lake	White			25										25
Snake R 1: below Ice Harbor Dam	White			12										12
Snake R 2: Ice Harbor to Lower Monumental Dam	White			12										12
Snake R 3: Lower Monumental to Little Goose Dam	White		12											12
Snake R 4: Little Goose to Lower Granite Dam	White			12										12
Wind River below Shipherd Falls	White			37										37
Total	White	140	182	507	222						108	34	24	1,217

Table 29. 2015-2016 Washington Sport Sturgeon Fishing, by Residence

County of Residence	Number Catch Record Cards	Population by County	% Catch Record Holders	Total Sturgeon	Average Catch per Catch Record Card
Adams	1,508	19,254	7.8	44	0.03
Asotin	2,030	22,105	9.2		
Benton	17,474	190,309	9.2	275	0.02
Chelan	7,571	75,644	10.0		
Clallam	11,042	73,486	15.0		
Clark	39,619	459,495	8.6	208	0.01
Columbia	527	3,944	13.4		
Cowlitz	19,286	103,468	18.6	11	0.00
Douglas	3,617	40,534	8.9	11	0.00
Ferry	367	7,582	4.8		
Franklin	7,608	88,807	8.6	66	0.01
Garfield	322	2,219	14.5		
Grant	5,525	93,259	5.9	22	0.00
Grays Harbor	11,295	71,122	15.9		
Island	16,238	80,593	20.1		
Jefferson	4,549	30,466	14.9		
King	113,515	2,117,125	5.4	22	0.00
Kitsap	24,499	260,131	9.4		
Kittitas	3,263	43,269	7.5	33	0.01
Klickitat	3,014	21,026	14.3	44	0.01
Lewis	10,673	75,882	14.1		
Lincoln	753	10,321	7.3		
Mason	6,847	61,023	11.2		
Okanogan	3,569	41,516	8.6		
Pacific	4,175	20,848	20.0		
Pend Oreille	513	13,088	3.9	11	0.02
Pierce	71,330	843,954	8.5	11	0.00
San Juan	2,762	16,252	17.0		
Skagit	21,360	121,846	17.5	11	0.00
Skamania	1,286	11,339	11.3	11	0.01
Snohomish	75,380	772,501	9.8	22	0.00
Spokane	15,326	490,945	3.1	77	0.01
Stevens	1,578	43,791	3.6	22	0.01
Thurston	24,310	269,536	9.0		
Wahkiakum	1,132	4,042	28.0		
Walla Walla	4,603	60,338	7.6	11	0.00
Whatcom	20,855	212,284	9.8		
Whitman	1,992	48,177	4.1		
Yakima	16,601	248,830	6.7	154	0.01
Unknown WA	1,091				
Washington Total	579,005	7,170,351	8.1	1,066	0.00
Other State Total	55,141			154	0.00
Canada	1,969				
Other	480				
Grand Total	636,595			1,220	0.00

Note: The figures do not accurately multiply across because of the bias adjustment factor and rounding of numbers.

Source: Table 1: Annual Estimates of the Resident Population for Counties of Washington: April 1, 2010 to July 1, 2015. Source: Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau. Release Date: March 2016

Table 29. 2015-2016 Frequency Distribution of Estimated Sturgeon Catch Record Cards and Catch

#Sturgeon per Catch Record Card	Number of Cards	Cumulative Number of Cards	Percent Cards	Cumulative Percent Cards	Total Catch	Cumulative Total Catch	Percent Catch	Cumulative Percent Catch
0	635,522	635,522	99.8%	99.8%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
1	931	636,453	0.2%	100.0%	931	931	76.5%	76.5%
2	143	636,596	0.0%	100.0%	286	1,217	23.5%	100.0%
Total	636,596		100.0%		1,217		100.0%	

Table 30. 2015-2016 Sport Sturgeon Inventory of Catch Record Cards Reported

Response Type	With Catch	No Catch	Total Reports	Number of Sturgeon	Catch per Card
Prior to reminder	96	56,949	57,045	109	0.002
After 1st reminder postcard	2	1,953	1,955	2	0.001
After 2nd reminder postcard		1,040	1,040		0.000
Total	98	59,942	60,040	111	0.002

Steelhead

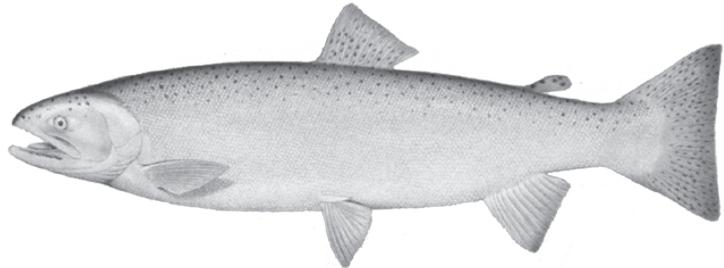


Table 31. 2015-2016 Steelhead Sport Catch, by Area and Month

COASTAL RIVERS AND MARINE CATCH AREAS															
System	River	Run	Mark Type	2015								2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	
Chehalis R. System	Chehalis R. above Black R.	S	Marked					4	4						8
		W	Marked									97	85	20	202
	Chehalis R. below Black R.	S	Marked				11	18	14	7					50
		W	Marked								36	154	225	16	431
	Chehalis River, So. Fork	W	Marked							28	16				44
	Newaukum River	W	Marked								4	8			12
	Satsop River	S	Marked				18	11	18	21					68
		W	Marked							63	462	822	312		1,659
	Satsop River, West Fork	W	Marked							4	8	99			111
	Skookumchuck River	S	Marked					4	7						11
		W	Marked	28						4	12	470	1,169	901	2,584
	Van Winkle Creek	S	Marked		4	25	11	4							44
		W	Marked									20			20
	Wishkah River	S	Marked						11						11
		W	Marked							12	4	16	8		40
	Wynoochee River	S	Marked	262	1,141	883	301	172							2,759
		W	Marked							685	1,235	1,714	281		3,915
	Chehalis R. System Totals	S	Marked		266	1,199	927	341	218						2,951
		W	Marked	28						16	832	2,482	4,130	1,530	9,018
Copal R. System	Copal R.	W	Marked	4											4
Hoh R. System	Hoh River above Oxbow Launch	S	Marked				17	9							26
		W	Marked							16					16
	Hoh River below Oxbow Launch	S	Marked		13	22	26	22							83
		W	Marked	24						24	61	4	4		117
		W	Unmarked									4	12		16
			Total	24						24	61	8	16		133

Table 31. 2015-2016 Steelhead Sport Catch, by Area and Month (continued)

COASTAL RIVERS AND MARINE CATCH AREAS															
System	River	Run	Mark Type	2015								2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	
Hoh R. System (cont.)	Hoh R. System Totals	S	Marked			13		22	43	31					109
			Marked			24					40	61	4	4	133
			Unmarked									4	12		16
			Total			24					40	61	8	16	149
Humptulips R. System	Humptulips River	S	Marked			77	91	169	63						400
			Marked							147	698	605	118	10	1,578
	Humptulips River, E. Fork	S	Marked			14									14
			Marked							5	10	20	25		60
	Humptulips River, W. Fork	S	Marked					7							7
			Marked									10			10
	Stevens Creek	S	Marked			7									7
			Marked							34	152	29			215
	Humptulips R. System Totals	S	Marked		84	105	176	63							428
			Marked							152	742	777	157	35	1,863
Johns R. System	Johns River	W	Marked									4			4
Marine Water	Area 1: Col R - Ledbetter	S	Marked		4	12	47								63
	Area 2-1: Willapa Bay	S	Marked			20	4	4							28
	Marine Water Totals	S	Marked		4	32	51	4							91
Marine Water	Area 2: Westport	S	Marked			12									12
	Area 2-2: Grays Harbor	S	Marked			4									4
			Marked									13			13
	Marine Water Totals	S	Marked		4	12									16
			Marked									13			13
Mosquito Cr. System	Mosquito Creek (Jefferson Co.)	W	Marked									16			16

Table 31. 2015-2016 Steelhead Sport Catch, by Area and Month (continued)

System	River	Run	Mark Type	COASTAL RIVERS AND MARINE CATCH AREAS								2016			Total	
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	
Naselle R. System	Naselle River	S	Marked					6	11	6						23
		W	Marked							15	220	201	19	3		458
	Salmon Creek (Pacific Co.)	S	Marked				11		17							28
		W	Marked								3	3				6
	Naselle R. System Totals	S	Marked			11		6	28	6						51
		W	Marked						15	223	204	19	3			464
Nemah R. System	Nemah River	S	Marked				4	9								13
		W	Marked									4	16			20
North R. System	North River	W	Marked						52	232	108					392
	Smith Creek (Pacific Co.)	W	Marked							5	31					36
	North R. System Totals	W	Marked						57	263	108					428
Ozette R. System	Big River (Clallam Co.)	S	Marked					9								9
		W	Marked									4				4
Queets R. System	Clearwater River	W	Marked			6						6	25	25		62
			Unmarked									19	38			57
			Total		6							6	44	63		119
	Queets River	S	Marked				13									13
		W	Marked					25		339	25	13				402
	Salmon River (Jefferson Co.)	W	Marked					19	226	264	50					559
	Queets R. System Totals	S	Marked				13									13
		W	Marked			6		19	251	609	100	38	609	119	76	1,023
		Unmarked									19	38			57	
		Total		6			19	251	609	100	38	609	119	76	1,080	

Table 31. 2015-2016 Steelhead Sport Catch, by Area and Month (continued)

COASTAL RIVERS AND MARINE CATCH AREAS															
System	River	Run	Mark Type	2015								2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	
Quillayute R. System	Bogachiel River	S	Marked		5				5						10
		W	Marked	54						274	795	539	18		1,680
			Unmarked	22								4	13		39
			Total	76						274	795	539	22	13	1,719
	Calawah River	S	Marked		86	190		289	36						601
		W	Marked	18					157	413	135	13			736
			Unmarked	4									4		8
			Total	22					157	413	135	13	4		744
	Dickey River (Clallam Co.)	W	Marked							13	4			4	21
	Quillayute River	S	Marked	5	14	18									37
		W	Marked						27	40		9	4		80
			Unmarked									13	27		40
			Total						27	40		22	31		120
Quinault R. System	Sol Duc River	S	Marked	5	9	5									19
		W	Marked	49					9	63	27	22	22		192
			Unmarked	22							31	49			102
			Total	71					9	63	27	53	71		294
	Quillayute R. System Totals	S	Marked	5	96	213	23	294	36						667
		W	Marked	121				480	1,315	701	66	26			2,709
			Unmarked	48							48	93			189
			Total	169				480	1,315	701	114	119			2,898
	Quinault R. System	Quinault R, Lower (below L. Quinault, not Cook Cr.)	S	Marked	4										4
		Quinault R, Upper (above L. Quinault)	S	Marked	4		4								8
			W	Marked								16	4		20
				Unmarked								12	20		32
			Total									28	24		52

Table 31. 2015-2016 Steelhead Sport Catch, by Area and Month (continued)

System	River	Run	Mark Type	COASTAL RIVERS AND MARINE CATCH AREAS								2016			Total		
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar		
Quinault R. System (cont.)	Quinault R. System Totals	S	Marked		4	4			4							12	
			Marked													20	
		W	Unmarked													32	
			Total													52	
Willapa R. System	Willapa R, So. Fork	S	Marked						7							7	
		W	Marked													5	
	Willapa River	S	Marked						7							7	
		W	Marked							28	202		263	47	14	554	
	Willapa R. System Totals	S	Marked					7	7							14	
		W	Marked							28	202		268	47	14	559	
Coastal Rivers/Streams and Marine Catch Area Totals		S	Marked		9	394	1,532	1,150	919	370						4,374	
			Total		9	394	1,532	1,150	919	370						4,374	
		W	Marked		183					710	3,662	5,373	4,683	1,667		16,278	
			Unmarked		48									83	163	294	
			Total		231					710	3,662	5,373	4,766	1,830		16,572	

Table 31. 2015-2016 Steelhead Sport Catch, by Area and Month (continued)

System	River	Run	Mark Type	COLUMBIA RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES								2016	Total	
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		
Abernathy Cr. System	Abernathy Creek	S	Marked	6									6	
		W	Marked										15	15
Coal Cr. System	Coal Creek (Cowlitz Co.)	S	Marked	2									2	
Columbia R. Mainstem	Columbia R 01: Buoy 10 to Tongue Pt.-Rocky Pt.	S	Marked	8	25	112	25							170
		W	Marked										5	5
	Columbia R 02: Tongue Pt. Rocky Pt. to Longview Br.	S	Marked	138	978	2,241	2,040	95	2					5,494
		W	Marked	72						20	10		5	238
	Columbia R 03: Longview Br. to I-5 Br.	S	Marked	45	449	619	24	2						1,139
		W	Marked	11						5	20		10	88
	Columbia R 04: I-5 Br. to Bonneville Dam	S	Marked	107	124	245	18	2						496
		W	Marked							5			15	20
	Columbia R 05: Bonneville to The Dalles Dam	S	Marked	4	54	367	129	12	12	12			12	602
Columbia R 06: The Dalles to John Day Dam	S	Marked	4		29	71	87	67	12	46			21	386
													37	12
Columbia R 07: John Day to McNary Dam	S	Marked	4	25	8	50	42	33	175	204	46		62	83
Columbia R 08: McNary Dam - Hwy 395 Bridge @ Pasco	S	Marked	8	17	121	754	658	429	83				54	42
Columbia R 09: Hwy 395 Bridge to I-182 Bridge	S	Marked							4	12			8	24

Table 31. 2015-2016 Steelhead Sport Catch, by Area and Month (continued)

COLUMBIA RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES																
System	River	Run	Mark Type	2015								2016			Total	
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb		
Columbia R. Mainstem (cont.)	Columbia R 09: I-182 Bridge to old Hanford townsite	S	Marked	404						475	554	283	162	346	479	2,703
	Columbia R 12: Rock Island to Rocky Reach Dam	S	Marked							12	8		17	12	12	61
	Columbia R 13: Rocky Reach to Wells Dam	S	Marked							17	92	75	25	25	96	330
	Columbia R 14: Wells to Chief Joseph Dam	S	Marked					4		646	437	92	50	42	37	1,308
	Columbia R. Mainstem Totals	S	Marked	412	163	1,158	2,993	3,617	1,165	2,060	1,764	645	411	600	723	15,711
		W	Marked	83						35	30		30	76	97	351
Cowlitz R. System	Blue Creek (Lewis Co.)	S	Marked			32	56	32							120	
		W	Marked	65						71				24	160	
	Cispus River	W	Marked							4					4	
	Coweeman River	W	Marked								15		27	11	53	
	Cowlitz R. above Cowlitz Falls Dam	S	Marked		4	4	4	8							20	
		W	Marked									4			4	
	Cowlitz R. below Mayfield Dam	S	Marked	425	1,552	9,365	10,602	3,782	1,839						27,565	
		W	Marked	4,485						430	30	137	1,329	6,769	13,180	
	Cowlitz R. between Mayfield & Cowlitz Falls Dams	S	Marked		4	4	29	63	13						113	
		W	Marked	15								23		38		
	Green River (Cowlitz Co.) above Toutle Hatchery	S	Marked	21	42	25	4	4							96	
		W	Marked							8					8	
	Green River (Cowlitz Co.) below Toutle Hatchery	S	Marked	71	29	67	38	17							222	
		W	Marked						23						23	

Table 31. 2015-2016 Steelhead Sport Catch, by Area and Month (continued)

COLUMBIA RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES															
System	River	Run	Mark Type	2015								2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	
Cowlitz R. System (cont.)	Tilton River	S	Marked		8	13	4								25
		W	Marked	11									8	11	41
	Toutle River, No. Fork	S	Marked			4	34	55	34						127
		W	Marked							4					4
	Toutle River, So. Fork	S	Marked	46	277	143	80		25						571
		W	Marked								4		4		8
	Cowlitz R. System Totals	S	Marked	571	1,912	9,558	10,875	3,896	1,927						28,739
		W	Marked	4,511						469	49	176	1,355	6,803	13,363
Elochoman R. System	Elochoman River above Foster Rd Bridge	W	Marked							3		15			18
	Elochoman River below Foster Rd Bridge	S	Marked					2							2
		W	Marked							3	15	103	18	3	142
	Elochoman R. System Totals	S	Marked					2							2
		W	Marked							3	18	118	18	3	160
Entiat R. System	Entiat River	S	Marked									5	3		8
Germany Cr. System	Germany Creek	W	Marked									9	3		12
Grande Ronde R. System	Grande Ronde River	S	Marked	23		100	670	489	104	204	1,217	1,051		3,858	
Grays R. System	Grays River above Barr Rd Bridge	S	Marked					13							13
		W	Marked						6	58	26	13	19		122
	Grays River below Barr Rd Bridge	S	Marked					13							13
		W	Marked							39	6	13			58
	Grays River, West Fork	S	Marked				53								53
		W	Marked					19	193	90	19				321
	Grays R. System Totals	S	Marked					79							79
		W	Marked						25	290	122	45	19		501

Table 31. 2015-2016 Steelhead Sport Catch, by Area and Month (continued)

COLUMBIA RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES																
System	River	Run	Mark Type	2015									2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	
Kalama R. System	Kalama River above Kalama Falls Hatchery	S	Marked	11	11	53	18	25	28	18	14	11	11	4	204	
	Kalama River below Modrow Bridge	S	Marked	125	153	459	327	228	96						1,388	
		W	Marked	146						73	146	256	174	235	1,030	
	Kalama River between Modrow Bridge and Kalama Falls Hatchery	S	Marked	85	174	562	260	231	231						1,543	
		W	Marked	138						138	130	134	239	215	994	
	Kalama R. System Totals	S	Marked	11	210	338	1,074	605	484	355	18	14	11	11	4	3,135
		W	Marked	284						211	276	390	413	450	2,024	
Klickitat R. System	Klickitat River above Fishway 5	S	Marked	149	294	299	496	149	48						1,435	
	Klickitat River below Fishway 5	S	Marked	10	5	43	29	96	212	87	43	14	24		563	
		S	Marked	10	5	192	323	395	708	236	91	14	24		1,998	
Lewis R. System	Lewis River (below E. Fork)	S	Marked	23	95	30	4	8							160	
		W	Marked	4						19	54	31			108	
	Lewis River, E. Fork	S	Marked	4	4	8	15	4							35	
		W	Marked	4						35	54	54	12	4	163	
	Lewis River, No. Fork	S	Marked	42	368	1,958	1,518	285	152						4,323	
		W	Marked	27						23	202	194	31	8	485	
	Lewis R. System Totals	S	Marked	46	395	2,061	1,563	289	164						4,518	
		W	Marked	35						77	310	279	43	12	756	
Little White Salmon R. System	Little White Salmon River & Drano Lake	S	Marked	5	9	27	918	6,110	1,832	91	14			5	9,011	
Methow R. System	Methow River	S	Marked							1,225	276	4			1,505	
Mill Cr. System (Cowlitz)	Mill Creek (Cowlitz Co.)	S	Marked				26	32							58	

Table 31. 2015-2016 Steelhead Sport Catch, by Area and Month (continued)

COLUMBIA RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES																		
System	River	Run	Mark Type	2015								2016			Total			
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb				
Okanogan R. System	Okanogan River	S	Marked							224	92	40	52	115	69	592		
	Similkameen River	S	Marked							6			29	109	69	213		
	Okanogan R. System Totals	S	Marked							224	98	40	81	224	138	805		
Rock Cr. System (Skamania)	Rock Creek (Skamania Co.)	S	Marked							6			10	14	2	32		
Salmon Cr. System (Clark)	Salmon Creek (Clark Co.)	W	Marked							6	30		36	6	3	81		
Skamokawa Cr. System	Skamokawa Creek	S	Marked							2						2		
Snake R. Mainstem	Snake R 1: below Ice Harbor Dam	S	Marked							23	50	9	23	9	9	123		
	Snake R 2: Ice Harbor to Lower Monumental Dam	S	Marked							9	468	772	423	500	259	268	91	2,790
	Snake R 3: Lower Monumental to Little Goose Dam	S	Marked							9	691	945	282	195	259	459	214	3,054
	Snake R 4: Little Goose to Lower Granite Dam	S	Marked							32	291	150	55	73	118	218	68	1,005
	Snake R 5: Lower Granite Dam to Interstate Bridge, Clarkston	S	Marked							36	454	559	450	223	127	9	5	1,863
	Snake R 6: upstream of the Interstate Bridge, Clarkston	S	Marked							282	1,372	777	200		223	68		2,922
	Snake R. Mainstem Totals	S	Marked							86	2,209	3,848	1,996	1,214	995	1,031	378	11,757
Tucannon R. System	Tucannon River	S	Marked							4	2	6		2			14	

Table 31. 2015-2016 Steelhead Sport Catch, by Area and Month (continued)

System	River	Run	Mark Type	COLUMBIA RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES									2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	
Walla Walla R. System	Touchet River	S	Marked							3	3	3		10	10	29
	Walla Walla River	S	Marked						80	163	73	35	21	56	24	452
	Walla Walla R. System Totals	S	Marked						80	166	76	38	21	66	34	481
Washougal R. System	Washougal River above County Line Access	W	Marked							46	126		71	42		285
	Washougal River below County Line Access	S	Marked	11	8	1		2	1							23
		W	Marked	13						42	172	214	38	4		483
	Washougal River, West Fork	S	Marked	2	1											3
		W	Marked									4	13			17
	Washougal R. System Totals	S	Marked	11	10	2		2	1							26
		W	Marked	13						88	298	289	93	4		785
Wenatchee R. System	Wenatchee River	S	Marked							2	6	6	4	2		20
White Salmon R. System	Big White Salmon River	S	Marked	21	70	244	84	35								454
		W	Marked							16	11					27
Wind R. System	Wind River below Shipherd Falls	S	Marked	7	12	331	170	31	14			2	2			569
Columbia River and Tributary System Totals (All non-Boldt)		S	Marked	461	1,022	4,053	17,075	23,916	11,057	11,114	4,826	2,105	1,765	3,174	2,342	82,910
			Total	461	1,022	4,053	17,075	23,916	11,057	11,114	4,826	2,105	1,765	3,174	2,342	82,910
		W	Marked	4,991						985	1,317	1,460	2,052	7,430		18,235
			Total	4,991						985	1,317	1,460	2,052	7,430		18,235

Table 31. 2015-2016 Steelhead Sport Catch, by Area and Month (continued)

PUGET SOUND AND STRAIT OF JUAN DE FUCA RIVER SYSTEMS AND MARINE CATCH AREAS														
System	River	Run	Mark Type	2015							2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	
Marine Water	Area 9: Admiralty Inlet	S	Marked		34			8						42
		W	Marked		57						23	46	34	11
Clallam R. System	Clallam River	W	Marked							3		13		16
Dungeness R. System	Dungeness River	W	Marked							3		7		10
Green-Duwamish R. Sys	Green (Duwamish River) (King Co.)	S	Marked		4	26	4	18	15					67
		W	Marked							3	13	54		70
	Soos Creek	S	Marked			4	4							8
	Green-Duwamish R. Sys Totals	S	Marked		4	30	8	18	15					75
		W	Marked							3	13	54		70
Hoko R. System	Hoko River	W	Marked						13	91		13	13	130
Morse Cr. System	Morse Creek (Clallam Co.)	W	Marked							13				13
Nisqually R. System	Nisqually River	S	Marked					4						4
Nooksack R. System	Nooksack River, No. Fork	W	Marked									7		7
	Nooksack River, below North Fork	W	Marked							3	7			10
	Nooksack R. System Totals	W	Marked							3	14			17
Puyallup R. System	Puyallup River	S	Marked					7						7
		W	Marked							7				7
Salt Cr. System	Salt Creek (Clallam Co.)	W	Marked						7					7
Sekiu R. System	Sekiu River	W	Marked							3	3			6

Table 31. 2015-2016 Steelhead Sport Catch, by Area and Month (continued)

PUGET SOUND AND STRAIT OF JUAN DE FUCA RIVER SYSTEMS AND MARINE CATCH AREAS															
System	River	Run	Mark Type	2015								2016			Total
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	
Skagit R. System	Cascade River	S	Marked					11							11
		W	Marked					17 30				54			101
	Skagit River	W	Marked					7				13			20
	Skagit R. System Totals	S	Marked					11							11
		W	Marked					24 30				67			121
Snohomish R. System	Pilchuck River (Snohomish System)	W	Marked									4			4
	Skykomish River	S	Marked	399				126 412 402 171							1,510
		W	Marked					207 830				713 55			1,805
	Skykomish River, No. Fork	S	Marked	6 10 6				10							32
		W	Marked					4				4			8
	Skykomish River, So. Fork	S	Marked	3				3 6							12
		W	Marked					8				12			20
	Snohomish River	S	Marked	16				13 16 6							51
		W	Marked					23				31			54
	Snoqualmie River	S	Marked	3				3 3							9
		W	Marked					12 55				66			133
	Sultan River	W	Marked					4 4							8
	Tokul Creek	W	Marked					117				140 19			276
	Wallace River	S	Marked					48							48
		W	Marked					74 199				144 4			421
	Snohomish R. System Totals	S	Marked	427				136 437 427 235							1,662
		W	Marked					301 1,236				1,114 78			2,729
Stillaguamish R. System	Canyon Creek	S	Marked	4											4
	Stillaguamish R. No. Fork	S	Marked					15							15
		W	Marked					7							7
	Stillaguamish R. So. Fork	W	Marked									3			3

Table 31. 2015-2016 Steelhead Sport Catch, by Area and Month (continued)

PUGET SOUND AND STRAIT OF JUAN DE FUCA RIVER SYSTEMS AND MARINE CATCH AREAS																
System	River	Run	Mark Type	2015								2016			Total	
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb		
Stillaguamish R. System (cont.)	Stillaguamish River	S	Marked					4							4	
		W	Marked									3	10		13	
	Stillaguamish R. System Totals	S	Marked					4	19							23
		W	Marked									7	3	13	23	
Puget Sound, Strait of Juan de Fuca River Systems and Marine Catch Area Totals (All are Boldt Case Areas)	S	Marked		34	435	174	445	468	268					1,824		
		Total		34	435	174	445	468	268					1,824		
	W	Marked		57					351	1,432	1,344	125	11	3,320		
		Total		57					351	1,432	1,344	125	11	3,320		

Table 31. 2015-2016 Steelhead Sport Catch, by Area and Month (continued)

UNKNOWN AREAS																
System	River	Run	Mark Type	2015								2016			Total	
				Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb		
Total Unknown	S	Marked		9	19	188	85	56	38					395		
		Total		9	19	188	85	56	38					395		
	W	Marked		21				49				35	84	28	294	
		Unmarked										7		7		
		Total		21				49				35	84	35	301	

Table 32. 2015-2016 Washington Sport Steelhead Fishing, by Residence

County of Residence	Number of Catch Record Cards	Population by County	% Catch Record Card Holders	Total Steelhead	Average Catch per Card
Adams	1,508	19,254	7.8	504	0.33
Asotin	2,030	22,105	9.2	669	0.33
Benton	17,474	190,309	9.2	5,764	0.33
Chelan	7,571	75,644	10.0	1,010	0.13
Clallam	11,042	73,486	15.0	1,807	0.16
Clark	39,619	459,495	8.6	9,954	0.25
Columbia	527	3,944	13.4	105	0.20
Cowlitz	19,286	103,468	18.6	13,205	0.68
Douglas	3,617	40,534	8.9	481	0.13
Ferry	367	7,582	4.8	59	0.16
Franklin	7,608	88,807	8.6	3,264	0.43
Garfield	322	2,219	14.5	94	0.29
Grant	5,525	93,259	5.9	611	0.11
Grays Harbor	11,295	71,122	15.9	6,608	0.59
Island	16,238	80,593	20.1	71	0.00
Jefferson	4,549	30,466	14.9	235	0.05
King	113,515	2,117,125	5.4	13,205	0.12
Kitsap	24,499	260,131	9.4	1,948	0.08
Kittitas	3,263	43,269	7.5	611	0.19
Klickitat	3,014	21,026	14.3	2,230	0.74
Lewis	10,673	75,882	14.1	7,559	0.71
Lincoln	753	10,321	7.3		
Mason	6,847	61,023	11.2	1,960	0.29
Okanogan	3,569	41,516	8.6	1,350	0.38
Pacific	4,175	20,848	20.0	833	0.20
Pend Oreille	513	13,088	3.9	35	0.07
Pierce	71,330	843,954	8.5	11,550	0.16
San Juan	2,762	16,252	17.0	71	0.03
Skagit	21,360	121,846	17.5	411	0.02
Skamania	1,286	11,339	11.3	705	0.55
Snohomish	75,380	772,501	9.8	6,914	0.09
Spokane	15,326	490,945	3.1	3,650	0.24
Stevens	1,578	43,791	3.6	141	0.09
Thurston	24,310	269,536	9.0	8,674	0.36
Wahkiakum	1,132	4,042	28.0	845	0.75
Walla Walla	4,603	60,338	7.6	1,948	0.42
Whatcom	20,855	212,284	9.8	622	0.03
Whitman	1,992	48,177	4.1	775	0.39
Yakima	16,601	248,830	6.7	6,503	0.39
Unknown WA	1,091			493	0.45
Washington Total	579,005	7,170,351	8.1	117,474	0.20
Other State Total	55,141			10,447	0.19
Canada	1,969				
Other	480			12	0.03
Grand Total	636,595			127,933	0.20

Source: Table 1: Annual Estimates of the Resident Population for Counties of Washington: April 1, 2010 to July 1, 2015.

Source: Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau. Release Date: March 2016

Table 33. 2015-2016 Frequency Distribution of Estimated Steelhead Catch Record Cards and Catch

#Steelhead per Catch Record Card	Number of Cards	Cumulative Number of Cards	Percent Cards	Cumulative Percent Cards	Total Catch	Cumulative Total Catch	Percent Catch	Cumulative Percent Catch
0	602,873	602,873	94.7%	94.7%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
1	13,863	616,736	2.2%	96.9%	13,863	13,863	10.8%	10.8%
2	7,136	623,872	1.1%	98.0%	14,272	28,135	11.2%	22.0%
3	3,498	627,370	0.6%	98.6%	10,494	38,629	8.2%	30.2%
4	1,995	629,365	0.3%	98.9%	7,980	46,609	6.2%	36.4%
5	1,373	630,738	0.2%	99.1%	6,865	53,474	5.4%	41.8%
6	1,197	631,935	0.2%	99.3%	7,182	60,656	5.6%	47.4%
7	763	632,698	0.1%	99.4%	5,341	65,997	4.2%	51.6%
8	411	633,109	0.1%	99.5%	3,288	69,285	2.6%	54.2%
9	493	633,602	0.1%	99.5%	4,437	73,722	3.5%	57.6%
10	364	633,966	0.1%	99.6%	3,640	77,362	2.9%	60.5%
11	293	634,259	0.1%	99.6%	3,223	80,585	2.5%	63.0%
12	282	634,541	0.0%	99.7%	3,384	83,969	2.7%	65.7%
13	211	634,752	0.0%	99.7%	2,743	86,712	2.1%	67.8%
14	141	634,893	0.0%	99.7%	1,974	88,686	1.5%	69.3%
15	188	635,081	0.0%	99.8%	2,820	91,506	2.2%	71.5%
16	94	635,175	0.0%	99.8%	1,504	93,010	1.2%	72.7%
17	94	635,269	0.0%	99.8%	1,598	94,608	1.3%	74.0%
18	106	635,375	0.0%	99.8%	1,908	96,516	1.5%	75.5%
19	129	635,504	0.0%	99.8%	2,451	98,967	1.9%	77.4%
20	59	635,563	0.0%	99.8%	1,180	100,147	0.9%	78.3%
21	106	635,669	0.0%	99.9%	2,226	102,373	1.7%	80.0%
22	59	635,728	0.0%	99.9%	1,298	103,671	1.0%	81.0%
23	70	635,798	0.0%	99.9%	1,610	105,281	1.3%	82.3%
24	23	635,821	0.0%	99.9%	552	105,833	0.4%	82.7%
25	106	635,927	0.0%	99.9%	2,650	108,483	2.1%	84.8%
26	47	635,974	0.0%	99.9%	1,222	109,705	1.0%	85.8%
27	106	636,080	0.0%	99.9%	2,862	112,567	2.2%	88.0%
28	70	636,150	0.0%	99.9%	1,960	114,527	1.5%	89.5%
29	70	636,220	0.0%	99.9%	2,030	116,557	1.6%	91.1%
30	282	636,502	0.0%	100.0%	8,460	125,017	6.6%	97.7%
31	94	636,596	0.0%	100.0%	2,914	127,931	2.3%	100.0%
Total	636,596		100.0%		127,931		100.0%	

Table 34. 2015-2016 Sport Steelhead Inventory of Catch Record Cards Reported

Response Type	With Catch	No Catch	Total Reports	Number of Steelhead	Catch per Card
Prior to reminder	155	10,226	10,316	420	0.04
After 1st reminder postcard	2,243	41,095	43,351	8,437	0.19
After 2nd reminder postcard	477	5,844	6,373	2,043	0.32
Total	2,875	57,165	60,040	10,900	0.18

Marine Fish

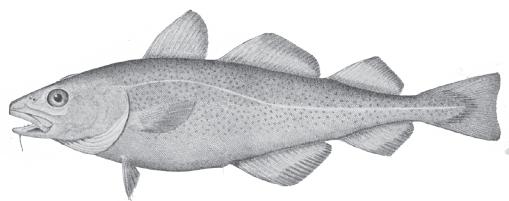
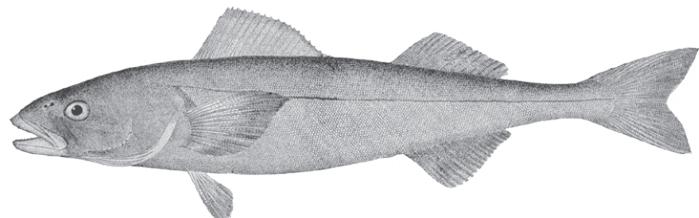
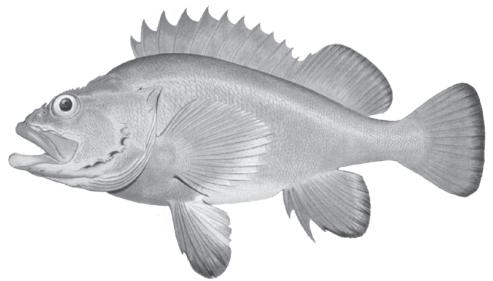
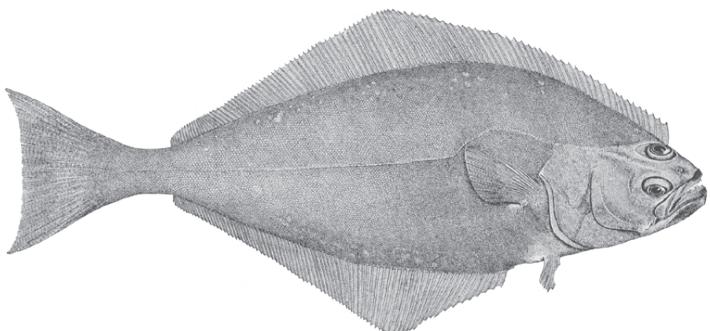


Table 35. 2015 Coastal Marine Fish Catch

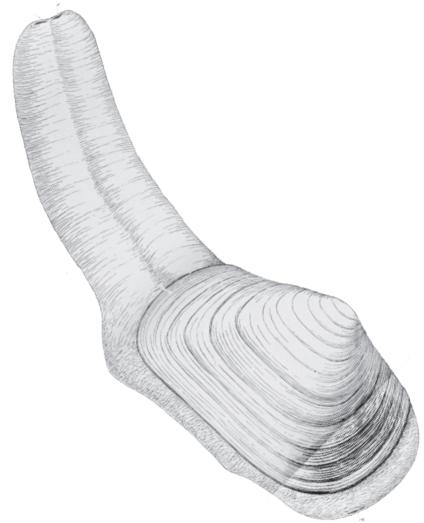
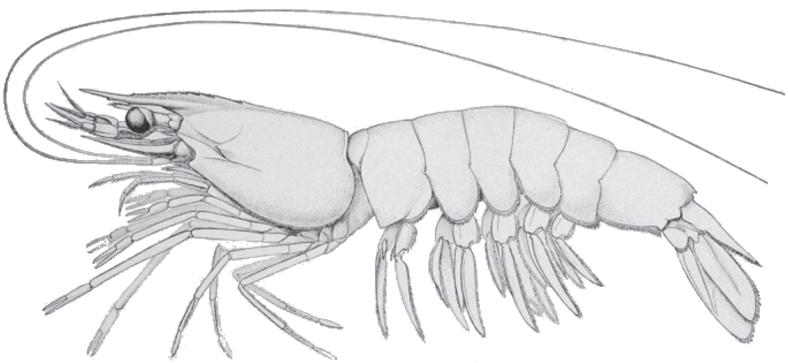
Species	Catch Area					Total
	Area 1 Ilwaco	Area 2 Westport	Area 3 La Push	Area 4 Neah Bay (Ocean)	Area 4B Neah Bay (Strait)	
Black Rockfish	18,036	192,457	36,784	36,051	24,097	307,425
Blue Rockfish	19	267	298	706	325	1,615
Yellowtail Rockfish	366	22,214	561	1,513	242	24,896
China Rockfish	1	12	318	1,223	219	1,773
Quillback Rockfish		305	64	295	86	750
Copper Rockfish	6	20	30	448	156	660
Canary Rockfish	49	26	15	44	71	205
Yelloweye Rockfish				2		2
Tiger Rockfish	73	4	29	28	3	137
Vermillion Rockfish	17	4	33	549	70	673
Boccaccio	3	12	11	16	5	47
Other Rockfish	1	59	41	18	8	127
Lingcod	1,198	21,542	5,058	5,794	3,856	37,448
Kelp Greenling	194	210	314	923	1,374	3,015
Pacific Cod	9	47	61	144	41	302
Cod (general)		17		9	10	36
Cabezon	173	97	493	874	375	2,012
Flatfish	22	2,904	9	114	412	3,461
Surf Perch	23	49		4	5	81
Albacore Tuna	27,366	50,581	1,395	13		79,355
Sharks and Skates		19		2	4	25
Miscellaneous	356	818	72	97	85	1,428

Table 36. Coastal Washington Recreational Pacific Halibut Catch 2000-2015

Year	Columbia Catch Area 1	South Coast Catch Area 2	North Coast Catch Areas 3-4
2000	370	1,980	4,286
2001	387	2,085	5,752
2002	347	1,644	5,219
2003	327	2,482	5,576
2004	447	3,455	5,627
2005	518	2,981	5,046
2006	693	2,377	4,562
2007	585	2,017	3,136
2008	667	2,375	4,408
2009	391	2,328	4,841
2010	428	2,259	5,438
2011	480	2,613	4,931
2012	350	2,588	5,130
2013	292	2,664	5,387
2014	540	2,465	6,064
2015	590	2,557	5,247

Table 37. 2015 Sport Bottomfish Catch by Boat-Based Anglers in Puget Sound

Species	Marine Area										Puget Sound Total
	5	6	7	8-1	8-2	9	10	11	12	13	
Pacific Halibut	1,666	3,180	407			38					5,291
Starry Flounder	16	86	3		17	117	130	36		446	851
Soles	19	892			1,094	1,008	1,502	2,923		273	7,711
Sanddabs			11	109	2,178	10,272	6,502	10,222		629	29,923
Misc. Flatfish	5	832	470	306	3,295	2,022	5,478	5,894	77,315	804	96,421
Sablefish											0
Lingcod	191	956	2,907	313	11	494	182	31		21	5,106
Greenlings	248	3,606	2,070	149	2	9					6,084
Copper Rockfish	32					3		18			53
Quillback Rockfish	8					6					14
Brown Rockfish	5							20			25
Black Rockfish	3,363		22								3,385
Yellowtail Rockfish	9										9
Vermillion Rockfish											0
Canary Rockfish	4										4
China Rockfish											0
Other Rockfishes	9			4		13	5	6			37
Pacific Cod	1,257	41									1,298
Walleye Pollock	2										2
Pacific Tomcod											0
Pacific Hake											0
Cabezon	25	45	265	2		45		6			388
Other Sculpins	7		3	89	71	145	121	155		23	614
Perches					438	439	316				1,193
Wolf-Eel											0
Spiny Dogfish	9	17	99		68	110	312	307		206	1,128
Ratfish		17						6	17		40
Skates		12				8					20
Squid						29		1,147		329	1,505
Octopus		7						25			32
Total	6,875	9,691	6,257	972	7,174	14,758	14,548	20,796	77,332	2,731	161,134



Shellfish

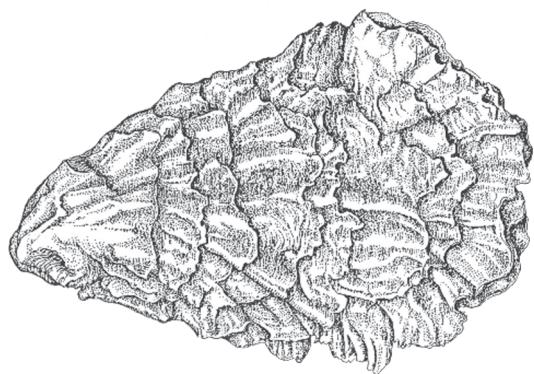
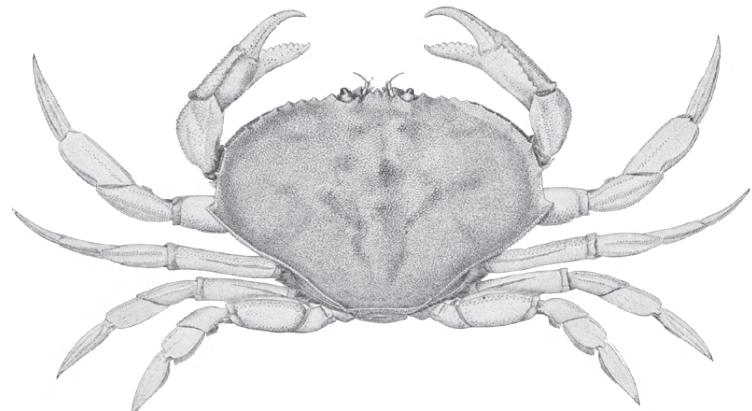


Table 38. 2015-2016 Seasonal Summary of Sport Razor Clam Digging on Ocean Beaches

Fall/Winter digs took place on evening tides between December 24, 2015 and March 23, 2016. Spring digs occurred on morning tides between March 24, 2016 to May 22, 2016.

Location	Fall / Winter			Spring		
	Digger Trips	Clams Per Trip	Number of Clams	Digger Trips	Clams Per Trip	Number of Clams
Long Beach	94,405	13.3	1,254,799	90,650	14.9	1,348,963
Twin Harbors*	0		0	0		0
Copalis	51,809	13.3	687,357	17,727	14.9	264,663
Mocrocks	29,514	12.1	358,500	41,904	14.7	616,072
Kalaloch	0		0	0		0
Total	175,728	13.1	2,300,656	150,281	14.8	2,229,698

* Twin Harbors remained closed due to high levels of domoic acid in razor clam tissue.

Table 39. 2015 Clam and Oyster Recreational Use and Harvest Estimates from Intertidal Areas East of Dungeness Spit

Marine Areas	Beach Name	User Trips	Pounds of Clams Harvested								Number of Oysters
			Manila	Littleneck	Butter	Cockle	Softshell	Horse	Geoduck	Total	
6	Sequim Bay SP	847	50	1,519	188	1,227	31	359		3,374	8,941
7	Birch Bay SP	23,690	7,445	16,331	85,403	4,964	156	2,725		117,024	16,363
	Drayton West	1,687	3,415	1,732	2,661	199	7	17		8,031	1,673
8-1	West Penn Cove	13,157	54	1,272	59,155	7,754	29	811		69,075	74,988
	Freeland CP	970	907	564	1,622	60	17			3,170	
9	Fort Flagler SP	4,226		6,790	15,656	938	12	4,051		27,447	
	Oak Bay CP	1,241	375	488	4,906	536	29	1,500	6	7,840	
	P. T. Ship Canal	1,935	76	415	14,012	703		1,773		16,979	124
	Indian Island CP	3,490	3,432	1,153	6,927	372	12	2,017	245	14,158	74
	Wolfe + Shine SP	6,498	7,735	1,789	9,337	3,484	225	4,252		26,822	34,187
12	Dabob Broad Spit	686	1,681	88	3	79		89	497	2,437	3,502
	E Dabob	115	316	1						317	786
	Quilcene Tidelands	1,142	1,296				2			1,298	6,806
	Dosewallips SP	9,522	17,144	431	5	54	82		342	18,058	100,045
	Kitsap Memorial SP	128		55	230	195	2	194	9	685	1,496
	Pt. Whitney Tidelands	317								0	5,287
	Pt. Whitney Lagoon	38	66	24	2	42	1	15	2	66	104
	Eagle Creek	1,633	46	24	2	42	1	15		132	28,072
	DNR-44A W Dewatto	222	119	32	9	7				168	3,396
	Rendsland Creek	422	97	55	616	42	2			812	5,826
	Scenic Beach SP									0	
	Potlatch SP + DNR	1,677	1,463	591	660	946	10	133		3,803	15,403
	Belfair SP	3,430	3,214	2		3	10			3,229	44,900
	Duckabush	1,606	2,605	169	124	435	19			3,352	9,772
	Triton Cove Tidelands	434	140	22	29	11				202	6,382
	Lilliwaup SP	2,432	253	990	4,183	4,046	4	1,392		10,868	22,736
	Twanoh SP	3,445	641	1	2	126	1			771	56,745
13	North Bay	2,295	6,262	374	41	40	23	2		6,742	6,990
	Penrose Pt SP	3,512	5,702	1,665	906	49	92	2,212	1,952	12,578	26,411
	Hope Island SP	866	83	147	5,294	3	12	748	1,886	8,173	916
	Oakland Bay	409	677	1	7					685	3,027
Total		92,072	65,294	36,701	211,978	26,315	778	22,291	4,939	368,296	484,952

Table 40. 2015 Puget Sound and Hood Canal Sport Spot Shrimp Fishery

Area	Date	Number of Boats	Pounds	CPUE (lbs. per boat)
4, 5	May - June	NA	NA	NA
6	May-Sept	889	7,690	8.7
6 (Discovery Bay)	May	202	2,134	10.6
7	May-Sept	2,435	29,006	11.9
8-1 & 8-2	May-June (3 Days)	1,255	20,614	16.4
9	May (2 Days)	444	7,532	17.0
10	May (3 Days)	682	12,758	18.7
11	May-June (4 Days)	151	2,542	16.8
12	May (5 Days)	5,578	97,265	17.4
13	May	NA	NA	NA
Total		11,636	179,541	15.4

Table 41. 2015 Sport Dungeness Crab Catch (all gear types)

Marine Area and location		Summer Season (lb. of crab)	Fall/Winter Season (lb. of crab)
4	Neah Bay	1,250	202
5	Sekiu/Pillar Point	3,830	584
6	Port Angeles Harbor, Dungeness & Sequim Bays, Discovery Bay	139,639	48,710
7	Gulf of Georgia, North of San Juan Islands, Bellingham Bay, Samish Bay, San Juan Islands, Anacortes	533,909	77,514
8-1	Skagit Bay, North Saratoga Passage, Holmes Harbor	532,448	36,833
8-2	South Saratoga Passage, Port Susan, Port Gardner	472,715	47,961
9 ¹	Admiralty Inlet, Port Townsend Bay, Useless Bay	153,613	30,468
10	Seattle/Kingston, Port Orchard	212,935	14,565
11	Colvos Pass, East Pass	77,413	9,772
12, 9 ²	Port Ludlow/Port Gamble, Upper Hood Canal, Central Hood Canal, Lower Hood Canal	215,346	38,877
13	South Puget Sound	20,165	4,691
Total		2,363,263	310,177

¹ Excluding all waters of Marine Area 9 south of a line from Foulweather Bluff to Olele Point.

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